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LIKENS TRACTION TO GROCERY DEAL

Ald. Foreman, with Homely Illustration, Shows That Big Fixed Charges Mean Bankruptcy.

CITY OWNERSHIP DANGER

If Franchises Are Condemned and Bought Deficit from Operation Declared Certain.

BY RAYMOND.

"We must go at this traction problem in exactly the same manner as if we were going to buy a grocery store," said Ald. Milton J. Foreman, chairman of the council committee on local transportation, and one of the best informed men in Chicago on this and other municipal topics.

"Since this traction question became acute," said the alderman, with one of those peculiar humorous smiles of his, through the medium of which some excellent ideas crack their way to the surface, "I have about stopped practicing law. My partner does that for me now. And, by the way, you know I haven't been practicing law all my life anyway. I put in a good many years at first on the road selling hats, and I guess that is why I can't get out of the habit of looking at everything from a strict business point of view. I never have had enough business in me to get rich at it, but I like to see a city as well as an individual count the cost carefully before it starts on a new enterprise.

Useless Without a Profit.

"Municipal ownership means nothing unless a municipality can run the public utility it proposes to take over at a profit. That is, I mean in a way profitable to the people at large. The road need not necessarily show a profit in dollars and cents if the municipality owns it outright, because the people would get some return in good service. When you propose to buy or build a road, not by taxation, but by the issuance of securities, you must be able at the start to see your way clear to the payment out of the receipts of all the fixed charges. Otherwise bankruptcy is inevitable, and this would give municipal ownership a black eye, not only in Chicago but all over the world, because if a city of this size and with its reputation for enterprise cannot make a go of such a scheme under fair conditions no one else will care to try it."

"Now, let us jump into this problem just as we would on a grocery business," said the erstwhile chairman of the transportation committee, who grabbed copies of Arnold's report, the report of the street railway commission, Jackson's report on subways, the Harlan report, and half a dozen other documents. But the alderman is above documents because he always quotes the figures at hand, and only looks in the book afterwards from force of habit.

Figures Out a Loss.

"Let us take the south side system, merely because that is the one with which the council has dealt last," he continued. "According to Mr. Arnold's figures the actual physical property value may be set down at $17,-300,000. The franchise values are, of course, a matter of argument, but they can fairly be assumed at $30,000,000, which is a conservative estimate. This means a total valuation of the road as it stands of $47,300,000. If we issue Mueller law certificates against that sum, and we have to pay 5 per cent on our investment, there is created at once a fixed charge on the south side system, which the city would have to meet every year, of $2,360,000.

"Now, bear in mind that this fixed charge of $2,360,000 is merely the interest on the sum of money required to buy the road as it stands, on the basis of what an arbitration might assess it to be worth. Now, the net earnings of the south side railroad company for 1903 were only $1,787,224. This means that at the outset we would be confronted with an annual deficit of $572,776. To that must be added, however, heavy items for depreciation, for new rolling stock, for the extension of the lines, for damage suits, and similar items. They would swell the fixed charges of the road to about $5,000,000 annually. Therefore, on the basis of the net earnings of the road for 1903, there would be an annual deficit of $2,212,776.

Store as an Illustration.

"I might give a man the use of my store for ten years, rent free, and he could conduct a business profitably there with a fair margin of profit. If I should attempt to buy back from him his own business conducted in my store, I would have to invest, not only the cost of his stock but enough more to buy out his rights under his free lease. Thus, although the business would continue to be conducted in my own building, it would probably be at a loss, because I would have the additional charge against my profit of the interest on the money I had paid him to clear out. Any business man would see the folly of such a course, and would prefer to wait until the lease or contract terminated.

"Whether we condemn or settle by arbitration or do anything else of that character, we must be prepared to start our municipal ownership on that basis with a debt so heavy in proportion to the profits that we cannot possibly make the lines pay expenses. If we were to tax the people to secure money to buy up these ninety-nine year franchises, or if we proposed to issue bonds against the general credit of the city to buy out the franchises, we could run the roads beyond all doubt under municipal ownership with a profit and increase the service far beyond that of the present system. So long, however, as we are limited by law, and the cost of buying out the franchises by means of Mueller certificates becomes a fixed charge on the roads themselves, the municipality could not profitably do anything else than wait until the franchises expired under the terms of the original grant, or by some system of commutation such as was provided for in the tentative ordinance."

Tentative Ordinance Best Plan.

"Then you still think the tentative ordinance presents the best solution of the difficulty?"

"I certainly should think so, if there was any indication that the street railroad companies would accept it, and would meet us on any fair basis. It would give them a chance to work out their honest capitalization, while at the same time the city would be freed from the necessity of buying back the right to use its own streets, which it had given away foolishly. It would be a great benefit if we could in some such way commute all those ordinances into one single term, so that all grants would expire at the same time,

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1905.

THE WEATHER—
FORECAST—Fair Saturday, Sunday probably increasing cloudiness, no decided change in temperature, fresh northeast winds.
Sunrise, 5:35; sunset, 6:16. Moonrise, 4:09 a. m.
CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.
Temperature, max. 67, min. 36, mean 52, normal for the day 41. Deficiency for 1905, 282.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Deficiency for 1905, 1.14 inches.
Wind, S. W., max. 20 miles an hour, at 8 a. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 74%, 7 p. m. 93%.

LARGEST 2 CENT MORNING CIRCULATION IN THE WORLD.

The Tribune's Want Columns Will Be Found on Pages 12,13,14,15.

POLITICAL.

Ald. Foreman figured that traction lines would be operated at loss if city condemned and bought unexpired franchises. Page 1.

Harlan was cheered for five minutes on appearing before big meeting in Auditorium. Page 3.

Judge Dunne in evening addresses solicited votes of socialists and prohibitionists, as all were for municipal ownership. Page 3.

Gov. Deneen aroused home wards by his speeches for John M. Harlan. Page 3.

Judge Tuley delivered speech for Dunne in Oakland Music hall. Page 3.

Municipal Voters' league recommended thirty-one aldermanic candidates and branded ten as "totaly unfit." Page 4.

Local option advocates took another slap at Speaker Shurtleff; action by committee on Wednesday. Page 7.

FOREIGN.

Emperor William, fearing complications with France, cut visit to Morocco short; elaborate plans for his reception abandoned; pledged Moorish independence. Page 2.

St. Petersburg police find evidence of terrorist plot to kill thirty Russian leaders; many bombs found and men arrested. Page 2.

Russian orthodox clergy began agitation for the separation of church and state. Page 2.

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

Japanese guns opened fire on Russian positions; Linevitch may have to resume retreat; European capitals fear peace is still far away. Page 2.

WASHINGTON.

Canadian-American commission will consider building dam at end of Lake Erie to maintain higher water level in great lakes. Page 7.

Richard Weightman declared Minister Bowen's differences with Venezuelan president personal, not diplomatic. Page 8.

DOMESTIC.

James Hazen Hyde given until 11 o'clock today to abandon duties as vice president of Equitable Life Assurance society or face exposure; ultimatum by President Alexander. Page 1.

H. N. Pillsbury, chess champion, tried to leap from window of Philadelphia hospital; saved by wife. Page 2.

H. H. Rogers issued statement scoring pastors in connection with controversy over Rockefeller gift. Page 5.

LOCAL.

Gypsy queen was arrested as confidence woman. Page 1.

Scientist says things taste best to long necked man. Page 1.

Former employe of policy "ring" told of $10,000 fund sent to Springfield to defeat pending bill. Page 2.

Senator Cullom visited federal officials conducting beef investigation; rumored he was following inquiry into private affairs. Page 4.

Burglars, probably in search of important official documents, ransacked the home of German consul at 604 Dearborn avenue. Page 4.

Sophia Beck, on way to Europe with $1,000,000 of assets of Philadelphia get-rich-quick concern, started career in Chicago. Page 4.

Charges made before bar association against Attorney William V. Tyler; Constable Grossman involved. Page 4.

Thief chase in Winston apartments, 137 Lincoln Park boulevard caused excitement. Page 4.

One death from cerebral meningitis reported in Chicago; physicians do not fear epidemic. Page 5.

John W. Gates' bull campaign in May wheat bolstered by failure of state warehouse commissioners and of board of trade to add Oregon product to available stocks. Page 7.

LABOR.

Four striking garment workers sent to jail for four months for violating Judge Kavanagh's "peaceful" order. Page 5.

NEW YORK.

Steel trust announced that wage increase would be made. Page 5.

Gas committee started search for apparent discrepancy of $4,000,000 in bond proceeds. Page 5.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Local bank clearings for March were $865,505,533, largest of any month in history. Page 10.

Records of Yellowstone park showed that 40 per cent of year's visitors were foreign tourists. Page 10.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review said trade holds its gain in Chicago. Page 10.

Strawberry season arrived; cost $3.50 to $4.50 per 24 pint case. Page 11.

Gates, Patten, and others added to lines of corn in big bull deal, but rally did not hold. Page 11.

New York money situation held trading to sluggish movement in narrow range. Page 11.

Hog market recovered 5 cents to top of $5.40; cattle advanced. Page 11.

Rice estate property, northwest corner Adams and Wabash avenue, reported sold for $450,000. Page 15.

SPORTING.

Regular White Stocking team was whitewashed by Kansas City aggregation. Page 6.

Oak Park girls won first place in western section high school league. Page 6.

Cold weather prevented work by Chicago Nationals in Salt Lake City. Page 6.

Agile, Derby candidate, won Business Men's Club at Memphis. Page 6.

Oxford defeated Cambridge in six of ten events in great track meet. Page 6.

Jockey Baird piloted two winners and four seconds at Bennings. Page 6.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
ALGIERS		Cretic.
ANTWERP	Mt. Temple	
MOVILLE		Bavarian.
NEW YORK	La Lorraine	
NEW YORK	Campania	
QUEENSTOWN	Lucania	
SAN FRAN		Thomas.

EDITORS OF LEADING NEWSPAPERS OF EUROPE CABLE THEIR VIEWS ON THE ACCEPTABILITY OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AS WAR MEDIATOR.

The Tribune prints this morning opinions received by cable from some of the leading editors of Europe on the acceptability of President Roosevelt as mediator in peace negotiations between Russia and Japan. The war admittedly has reached a point where both nations are desirous of ending hostilities with the best bargain that can be made. The usual diplomatic reticence has been observed as to the facts concerning any proposals that may have been made, but during the last week from every capital of Europe has sifted out into publicity enough suggestive discussion of possible terms, etc., to warrant the assumption that actual peace is imminent.

Representatives of the two nations interested have insisted whenever they would consent to authorized interviews that no intervention would be acceptable, and that peace could follow only direct communication between the governments of Russia and Japan. Persons with diplomatic experience, however, continue to believe that outside powers will take an active part in the negotiations, and a conspicuous feature of the prevailing discussion has been the hope freely expressed in Europe that President Roosevelt be chosen as the agent to bring the two warring nations to terms. This hope within a day or two has jumped even to the statement given out in London as a fact that the president already has been requested to serve in that capacity.

The war has been so notable and the position of any mediator would be so important that merely the possibility of the choice falling on President Roosevelt raises an interesting question whether his selection would meet with favor in the chancellories of Europe. This question was cabled to a dozen of the men of Europe controlling newspapers that are known to be close to the diplomatic secrets of their governments, and whose utterances are accepted as semi-official.

The message was as follows: "Please favor by cable your views acceptability Roosevelt as mediator Russia-Japan."

НОВОЕ ВРЕМЯ

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31.

Editor The Tribune, Chicago:

Now peace is impossible. Mediation, even by President Roosevelt, would offend opinion. If Russia warrants liberty of commerce in the far east the United States is interested in the continuation of the struggle. Japan victorious would be a terrible blow to your industry.

EDITOR
Novoe Vremya.

Daily Mail.

Daily Circulation Five Times as Large as That of Any Penny London Morning Journal.

NO. 2,780.

LONDON, March 31.

Editor of The Tribune, Chicago:

President Roosevelt would be the ideal mediator by reason of his great judgment, knowledge, and breadth of mind; but I doubt whether any American or Englishman would be acceptable to Russia.

ALFRED HARMSWORTH,
Editor Daily Mail.

Berliner Tageblatt und Handels-Zeitung.

Abend-Ausgabe.

BERLIN, March 31.

Editor of The Tribune, Chicago:

We consider Roosevelt because of his independence and energy is the predestined intermediary. We believe his initiative would be welcomed by the czar and the mikado if they have any inclination for peace, which is doubtful as to the latter.

EDITOR
Berliner Tageblatt.

Neue Freie Presse.

Abendblatt.

VIENNA, March 31.

Editor of The Tribune, Chicago:

Public opinion in Austria, and of the Freie Presse especially, which entertains the warmest feelings of sympathy for President Roosevelt, would receive the news with joy that the distinguished president of the United States has by his intervention succeeded in freeing the world of a disastrous war.

BENEDIKT,
Editor of the Neue Freie Presse.

LE FIGARO

PARIS, March 31.

Editor Tribune, Chicago:

I do not know if Russia and Japan will confer upon President Roosevelt this magnificent role, but certainly no one could fill it with more prestige and more authority.

GASTON CALMETTE,
Editor Le Figaro.

Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung.

BERLIN, March 31.

Editor of The Tribune, Chicago:

The deplorable affair is one in which Germany has no share and can express no opinion.

RUNGE,
Editor in Chief Norddeutscher Allgemeine Zeitung.

Lokal Anzeiger.

BERLIN, March 31.

Editor of the Tribune, Chicago:

Germany rejoices over the prospect of peace. The chivalrous and energetic character of President Roosevelt offers ample guarantee for a speedy and fair settlement. I believe him the right man in the right place and equal to the task.

EDITOR
Lokal Anzeiger.

LE MATIN.

PARIS, March 31.

Editor of the Tribune, Chicago:

France ardently hopes that peace will be re-established—first, in the interest of civilization and then in that of Russia. If President Roosevelt agrees to take the role of mediator and succeeded in his task he would merit the gratitude of all the human race.

STEPHANE LAUZANNE,
Editor Le Matin.

OSSERVATORE ROMANO

ROMA, March 31.

Editor Tribune, Chicago:

Regret not to be able to express an opinion.

JOSEPH ANGELINI,
Director of the Osservatore Romano.

LONDON EXPRESS.

LONDON, March 31.

Editor of the Tribune, Chicago:

President Roosevelt would be eminently acceptable to Englishmen, but I doubt if other powers would view his appointment sympathetically, owing to his undoubted pro-Japanese views.

RALPH BLUMENFELD,
Editor Express.

FINDS THINGS TASTE BEST TO THE LONG NECKED MAN.

Discovery of "Taste Buds" in Larynx Is Announced at Meeting of American Society of Naturalists.

The "isms" were given the right of way at the University of Chicago yesterday, where the first sessions of the third annual meeting of the central branch of the American Society of Naturalists were held.

Prof. J. T. Wilson announced the recent discovery of the existence of "taste buds" in the larynx, in addition to those which are found on the tongue. Spindle shaped cells they are, and of even higher sensibility than those of the lingual organ. It was declared the man with a long neck gets a greater enjoyment from the good tasting things, through his possession of more "buds" that are brought into exercise.

"I experimented with a man, a chicken, a dog, and a monkey, and in each case found the 'buds' in the larnyx possessed a function, and that it was of a protective nature," said Prof. White. "They close up the throat on substances introduced which are not palatable. They really are more susceptible to sensation than the taste buds on the tongue."

WHEN TOLD WIFE IS DEAD HE TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF.

Antonio Mezzoel Attempts Suicide at Hospital—Woman Is Victim of a Street Car Accident.

When informed of his wife's death, Antonio Mezzoel attempted to commit suicide in the Samaritan hospital last evening by shooting himself. The revolver was taken from him by two of the physicians. Mrs. Mezzoel was struck by a Wentworth avenue car in front of 390 Clark street. She was accompanied by her husband and two sons at the time of the accident. In crossing the street she was struck by a south bound car.

The injured woman was hurried to the hospital. A few moments later Mezzoel entered, but too late to see his wife alive. Then he drew a revolver and it was taken from him. Mezzoel lives at 196 Sherman street.

John Taff, 45 years old, a saloonkeeper at 195 North Clark street, committed suicide in his barroom in the afternoon by shooting himself in the right temple. He was brooding over the fact that he killed Ed Mulroy, 271 Orleans street, about six weeks ago, but was exonerated.

GYPSY QUEEN ARRESTED AS A CONFIDENCE WOMAN.

Alleged to Have Separated John Lundberg, a Car Barn Employe, from His Position and $1,200 Savings.

Louisa, queen of the gypsy camp at Forty-seventh street and Western avenue, came to grief last night. If the policeman who arrested her had not interfered Mrs. John Lundberg of 5217 Wentworth avenue would have attacked her.

During the last two years the aged woman, according to Mrs. Lundberg, has separated her husband from his $1,200 savings and his steady job in a street car barn.

"Two years ago my husband visited the camp, and this gypsy woman told him he was a great man and would have much money, and he gave her $50," said Mrs. Lundberg. "And we so poor! But I knew nothing of it, and I know nothing of the many times he has gone to ask her how to get rich—not until she promised him a farm and got the last money he had in the bank. And now he is out of work and there is nothing to eat for the children."

"Lock the 'queen' up," ordered Capt. Clancy. She will be arraigned in police court this morning.

BOY ON HIS WAY TO SCHOOL IS KILLED UNDER A WAGON.

Luther Heun, 7 Years Old, Climbs Into Vehicle "for a Ride" and Is Thrown Under the Wheels.

Luther Heun, 7 years old, 7437 Bond avenue, South Chicago, was struck by a big wagon and killed yesterday morning. He was at Bond avenue and Seventy-seventh street on his way to school, and climbed into the vehicle, with several companions, to ride. He was thrown off by the jolting and fell under the wheels.

An unidentified man, apparently 70 years old, was found unconscious in the evening near the street car tracks at Forty-third and Halsted streets. He was taken to the Englewood Union hospital. The police believe he fell from a street car. Tied to a string around the injured man's neck was a small purse containing $146.

Fred R. Leavitt, believed to have been a conductor on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, was found dead at Forty-sixth street and the Chicago Junction railroad tracks. His body was mangled apparently by a train.

HYDE MUST QUIT OR BE EXPOSED.

Ultimatum to the Equitable Life Vice President Gives Him Until 11 Today to Decide.

ALEXANDER AFTER HIM.

Has 23 Charges Against the Young Man, 14 of Which Are Disclosed After a Meeting.

New York, March 31.—(Special.)—James H. Hyde, vice president of the Equitable Life Assurance society, who is charged with wrongful misuse of the society's funds, received President James W. Alexander's ultimatum today.

He was told he must either retire forthwith as an active officer of the Equitable Life, which his father founded, or face a complete exposure.

Hyde will have until 11 o'clock tomorrow to give his answer.

Alexander in Rage, Hyde Wild.

President Alexander delivered his ultimatum to Hyde when the two met face to face. The aged, white haired man, who was an officer of the Equitable before young Hyde was born, who was the dearest, closest personal friend of the late Henry B. Hyde, trembled with rage and indignation. Hyde almost was wild with anger.

In effect President Alexander said to the young man: "You must retire from your position as an officer of the Equitable society at once.

"If you do not retire at once I personally shall go before the attorney general without delay and demand of him a complete and far-reaching investigation of the affairs of the Equitable society.

"I shall lay before him the books and records of the Equitable society and convince him such an investigation is imperative for the protection of the interests of the policy holders.

"Furthermore, I shall make a public statement to the policy holders over my own name, which will include all the charges I made against you when the executive heads of the society petitioned the directors not to elect you as vice president."

Private Expenses Paid by Society.

Fourteen of the twenty-three charges which President Alexander is said to have made against Hyde are as follows:

1. That Hyde charged to the Equitable Life Assurance society the expenses incurred in his formation of the Cercle Français, the expeditures due to his four in hand coaching trips from Holland house to Ardsley through the park, in which Alfred Vanderbilt participated; private dinners given by him to distinguished individuals, chief among them M. Cambon, ambassador from France to the United States. That with all these things he burdened the Equitable exchequer, asserting anything he did that brought him into the light of publicity was valuable advertising for the Equitable and that the society therefore ought to pay for it.

2. That the item of "advertising" shows the results of these extraordinary expenditures by its enormous increase in the last few years. The advertising item alone last year exceeded $500,000, although given in such a way that it is not possible to tell from it what the real expenditure was. The items "commissions, advertising, postage, and exchange," being taken together, totaled at $7,900,285.73. In 1903, without "commissions to agents," the items "advertising, postage, and stationery" reached the staggering total of $700,971.80.

Misuse of Equitable Funds.

3. That the ventures have been financed with Equitable funds, by which private individuals profited more largely than the life assurance society, although it was Equitable money that made the investment possible.

4. That there has been impropriety in the management of the financial affairs of the society.

5. That the manner of life of James Hazen Hyde raised questions as to his business responsibility.

6. That Hyde is in absolute control of the surplus of $80,794,269, and that while he cannot take it personally he can, by an extraordinary expenditure, materially decrease or entirely dissipate it.

Banks Aided; Expenses Raised.

7. That through his influence there was carried in trust companies and other institutions in which he had a personal interest, money that should be invested and earning interest.

8. That the Equitable conservatism is at an end, and that the expense rate at which insurance has been carried by the society is increasing yearly.

9. That by the arbitrary exertion of his will he forced many expenditures that were inadvisable and which, were they known, would be injurious to the continued prosperity of the society.

10. That he carries numerous personal employés on the roll of the Equitable and insists they shall be paid from the Equitable funds.

11. That he used his position as chairman of the finance committee of the Equitable to obtain his election as a member of the board of directors of many financial institutions.

Club Over Every Employe.

12. That Hyde holds a club over the head of every officer of the society; that he makes it impossible for them to do other than obey his dictates; and that he has power to depose or dismiss any officer or employé who opposes his will.

13. That since Hyde came into control the policy holders have not the same confidence that they reposed in the management of the company during the lifetime of his father and the period immediately following his death.

14. That Hyde's domination already has caused dissension in the board of directors by the arbitrary enforcement of his will.

one of the occasions being that on which he insisted the society should pay for the Cambon dinner.

The circumstances under which President Alexander delivered his ultimatum were peculiar. There were men present who had no official connection with the Equitable society. The result of the ultimatum was the biggest kind of a row, in which men of national and international prominence are involved.

President Alexander selected a semi-public meeting to put himself and his purposes in regard to Hyde's connection with the Equitable on record. The meeting was held in the office of Supt. Francis Hendricks of the state insurance department, at 11 Broadway. It was called by Hendricks for the purpose of settling the controversy over the forthcoming mutualization of the company, and continued for three hours. At the end of almost continuous squabbling the settlement of the tangle seemed farther off than ever.

Significance in Meeting Today.

It is significant that the meeting was adjourned until 11 o'clock this morning and that Hyde's hours for meditation end then. The belief is that Alexander's threat will be carried out in the open meeting.

The meeting was called for 12:30 o'clock. Vice President James Hazen Hyde and President James W. Alexander of the Equitable both were present. Each was represented by counsel, and each also had with him a member of the society's board of directors who was favorable to his interests in the controversy.

Mr. Hyde was represented by Elihu Root as counsel and President Alexander by former Justice William Cohen. With Mr. Hyde was E. H. Harriman and with Mr. Alexander Cornelius N. Bliss. The policy holders' committee was represented by John D. Crimmins, its president; Henry Morgenthau, and W. W. Bloomingdale, with Frank H. Platt as counsel. None of these even would hint at what had happened in the superintendent's office.

Clash Comes Over Mutualization.

The members of the Crimmins committee went into the conference in anything but a harmonious mood. They had had a split in their own ranks, involving a serious difference of opinion between Mr. Crimmins, chairman of the committee, and most of the other members.

Mr. Crimmins, it was said, had declared in favor of accepting the the latest concessions offered by the Hyde party—thirty-three of the fifty-two directors to be elected by the policy holders, and allowing the process of mutualization to extend over two or three years. Most of the other committeemen insisted that the board be mutualised at once. With Mr. Crimmins there lined up the Hyde forces, represented by Mr. Hyde, Mr. Root, and Mr. Harriman. Mr. Alexander, his counsel, and Mr. Bliss stood with the other faction in the policy holders' committee. As soon as the alignment was made Alexander delivered his ultimatum.

Immediately after this conference there was a powwow of the Hyde forces in the Equitable building. This was attended by Mr. Hyde, Mr. Root, William C. Gulliver, Mr. Hyde's personal counsel, Senator Depew, and others. None of these had anything to say to the public about the result of their talk.

Hyde Assailed for Methods.

A man who told of Mr. Hyde and the Equitable pay roll put in this way:

"There is a pretty well substantiated rumor that many of Mr. Hyde's associates, personal employés, and servants are on the Equitable pay roll. In fact, I think I can say there is little doubt that it is so. I suppose the superintendent of insurance is here to look into these.

"There is no doubt whatever that the gala dinner given by Mr. Hyde at Sherry's in 1902 to the retiring French ambassador, M. Jules Cambon, was charged to the company. After the charges were brought against Mr. Hyde in the newspapers he undertook to make restitution to the company. When these charges first were made Mr. Hyde's friends denied them. Then they confessed, and defended Mr. Hyde by saying it was justifiable to charge the bills to the company, because it was proper advertising for the Equitable.

Asks Question of Hyde.

"Evidently it came home to them that it would not do to put Mr. Hyde in the position of inviting 200 distinguished guests, including the French ambassador, to a dinner designed to advertise the Equitable. So this morning they changed their defense. Now they say it was done for the purpose of affecting hostile legislation then pending in France.

"It might be interesting to know what this legislation was and what will be the effect on such legislation of the exposure of the use to which Mr. Hyde put the French ambassador. I suppose Presidents Eliot of Harvard, Hadley of Yale, and the other distinguished guests read this morning with disgust about the uses to which they were put by Mr. Hyde.

"President Roosevelt wrote a letter to read at the dinner, in which he said: 'I wish I could be with you and meet your distinguished guests.' The president's luck attended him, as usual.

"Senator Chauncey Depew said in his speech: 'The relations between France and the United States have been picturesque for 130 years.' They never were more picturesque than on this occasion, for the United States never had before used France for advertising purposes."

STANFORD WILL IS PROBATED.

Provides That $4,125,000 Be Given in Trust to Relatives and Remainder to University.

San José, Cal., March 31.—The will and codicil of Mrs. Jane L. Sanford were admitted to probate today, and letters of administration were issued to Charles G. Lathrop, Timothy Hopkins, Joseph D. Grant, Whitelaw Reid, and Thomas B. Croton, executors, without bond. By the terms $2,000,000 is left in trust to Ariel Lathrop and descendants of D. S. Lathrop, her brothers; $1,000,000 in trust to her nieces, Jennie L. Lawton and Amy L. Hanson, and the children of Christine L. Gunning; $1,000,000 to Charles G. Lathrop, $125,000 to various charitable institutions of San Francisco and San José, and the remainder of her estate to the trustees of Leland Stanford Jr. university.

PRESIDENT'S FAMILY ON TRIP.

Mrs. Roosevelt and Three Children Leave for Florida—Will Cruise on Yacht.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—Mrs. Roosevelt and three of her children, Miss Ethel, Kermit, and Archie, left Washington tonight at 8:40 o'clock for Jacksonville, Fla. At Jacksonville they will board the yacht Sylph for a cruise of several days. Mrs. Roosevelt and her children will return to Washington in about ten days.

ALICE ROOSEVELT NOT TO WED.

Denial of Report in Washington That She Is Engaged to Senator Beveridge of Indiana.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—[Special.]—To the edition of "Town Topics" which reached Washington today was a story to the effect that Alice Roosevelt is engaged to marry Senator A. J. Beveridge of Indiana. Inquiry in well informed circles tonight shows there is no truth in the story.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.*

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

BATTLE OVERTURE BY OYAMA'S GUNS

Japanese Advance So Near to Russian Lines That Artillery Opens Fire.

ATTACK ON REAR GUARD.

Linevitch Declares Reports of Defeat at Mukden Are All Exaggerated.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 1, 2:30 a. m.—The Japanese advance upon the Russian positions has progressed so rapidly that the enemy's guns are able to bombard Linevitch's center.

The attacks on the Russian rear guard, commanded by Gen. Mistchenko, are assuming serious proportions. Mistchenko may have to fall back.

The main Japanese army undoubtedly is advancing to the attack. Oyama's right and left wings are extended far to the eastward and westward, the Japanese right menacing Kirin and the left moving to intercept Russian retreat north of Gunshu pass.

The Japanese left, it is feared, is advancing by forced marches to reach the Sungari river with a view to enveloping the Russian position.

Active East of Railroad.

A dispatch from Gen. Linevitch, dated March 30, says:

"There is no change in the situation. The enemy is displaying activity east of the railroad.

"Heavy snow fell during the night."

A telegram from Gunshu pass says Gen. Linevitch has forbidden the inhabitants of Harbin, with the exception of the women and children, to leave that place without special permits, fearing that the town may be denuded of workmen.

Mukden Defeat Exaggerated.

The military commission of generals, under the presidency of Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch, appointed to report on the condition of the army in Manchuria, it was handed over to Gne. Linevitch, has formulated its conclusions as regards the immediate future.

The report gives Gen. Linevitch's statement that a large proportion of the prisoners taken by the Japanese at Mukden were noncombatants, and that inquiries from St. Petersburg indicate to him that the extent of the Russian defeat at Mukden has been exaggerated. The Russian losses were heavy, but the personnel and equipment under Gen. Linevitch form a powerful combatant army.

It is officially announced that Gen. Karkevitch has been appointed Gen. Linevitch's chief of staff, in place of Gen. Sakharoff, who has been transferred to the Alexander committee for the care of the wounded. Gen. Stakelberg has also been appointed a member of the same cimmittee.

PEACE SEEMS MORE DISTANT.

Japanese Minister at Paris Denies That Negotiations of Any Kind Are in Progress.

PARIS, March 31.—Whatever hopefulness the peace situation may have had some days ago, the situation now has completely changed, and there is every prospect that the war will drag on again.

Dr. Monoto, the Japanese minster to France, today made in writing the following categorical statement, which was taken in writing and may be accepted as authoritatively clearing the situation.

"I tell you explicitly that there are no peace negotiations or preliminaries for initiating peace negotiations in progress at this time, so far as I am aware, and I believe my information to be complete.

"The statements that I have conferred with M. Delcasse at his residence are false, and are calculated to confuse a situation which is perfectly plain. There is no representative of Japan authorized at this time to discuss peace, or foreshadow in the least what conditions the Japanese government might consider if the negotiations assume a practical stage. On the contrary, Japan is now engaged in conducting a military campaign, and she will resolutely proceed with that important work."

The foregoing statement was submitted to the foreign office, where it was approved throughout.

JAPAN MAY HAVE DECLINED.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 1, 12:20 a. m.—A report current here late last night that Japan has declined to negotiate for peace upon Russia's basis cannot be traced to any responsible source.

It is difficult to shed light on the peace pourparlers. From all information obtainable it is regarded as certain that actual negotiations between the belligerents are not yet under way, but the task of bringing them together is proceeding informally through the United States and France in the persons of President Roosevelt and M. Delcasse, the French foreign minister, who have been apprised of Russia's irreducible minimum, which, in addition to no cession of territory or indemnity, is believed to include a guarantee of the right of way over the Siberian railroad to Vladivostok through northern Manchuria.

Think McCormick May Help.

Added significance is now attached to President Roosevelt's desire to have Ambassador McCormick proceed forthwith to Paris, where, being familiar with the conditions at St. Petersburg, he could render great assistance to Ambassador Porter in any negotiations, it being now known Gen. Porter will remain in Paris until the end of April. The fact that the president's instructions were sent to Mr. McCormick ten days ago gives some color to the reports from abroad that Japan took the initiative by approaching the president, but the idea with which this is coupled that the president will act as mediator is not credited.

Hints at World Congress.

One diplomat today expressed the opinion that all the powers are likely to be drawn in and that there might be another congress of Berlin. He pointed out that the powers interested commercially in China were vitally concerned in safeguarding the open door policy to which they were pledged, and must be consulted as to the future status of Manchuria and collateral questions, such as the possible internationalization of the Eastern Chinese railroad, etc. He desired it to be understood, however, that he did not mean that the powers would attempt to rob Japan of the fruits of victory. Such a congress might be held after Russia and Japan had concluded peace.

LOOKS WARLIKE TO WASHINGTON.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, is of the opinion that peace is not in immediate prospect between Russia and Japan. He so expressed himself after a visit to President Roosevelt today, and said that both combatants at this time appeared to be bent on continuing hostilities. He added that he did not talk with the president on the subject of mediation, and he did not believe that the Washington government had yet concerned itself officially in any movement looking to a cessation of the war.

CZAR MAY LOSE CHURCH.

RUSSIAN CLERGY CHAFE UNDER STATE CONTROL.

Semi-Official Messenger Prints a Demand for the Assembly of a General Council of the Holy Orthodox Church—Freedom from All Connection with the Government Insisted Upon—Movement Said to Be Widespread in Cities of the Empire.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 1, 2 a. m.—The movement for severing the traditional bonds between church and state and giving to the holy orthodox church independence and self-rule, which will increase its influence among the people of Russia, has found favor with an important group of clergy at the capital. A noteworthy document setting forth the views of those of this persuasion, which was presented to Metropolitan Antonius of St. Petersburg, has been received with sufficient consideration to insure its publication in the Church Messenger, the semi-official organ of the diocese of St. Petersburg, and one of the most important religious papers in the realm.

The document, after arguing that the church should free itself of obligation to the state in order to lend all its energies to the prosecution of its own special work, demands the summoning of a general council of the church to consider means of attaining the greater freedom required.

Disaffection May Be Widespread.

The question is an all important one on account of the strong connection between the religious and political elements in the Russian social organism, and that it has been raised and pressed at this time indicates the extent to which Russian society is stirred at the present hour. The movement is believed to be now largely confined to a group of metropolitan clergy, and it is not known to what extent the priests in the country at large are affected.

Taking as its text the recognition in the imperial rescript for the necessity of enlarging the horizon of the religious life of Russia, as well for adherents of non-Russian faiths as for the orthodox and heterodox elements in the Russian church, the document says true believers must recognize the necessity of reforms for the orthodox church, if its influence is to live and grow.

Demand for a Free Church.

The document declares that "only a church free from external influence in the direction of all its affairs, thereby avoiding the liability of being considered a force of action under the influence of and obligations toward the state, can hope to check the spread of other faiths and creeds in Russia and retain the nation in the faith of the fathers."

TERROR PLOTS ALARM RUSSIA.

Police Find Evidence of Conspiracy to Kill Trepoff, the Grand Duke Alexis, and Others.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 31.—The authorities continue to find evidence of terrorist activity in St. Petersburg, and in spite of the precautions of the police another tragedy may occur at any moment.

The fighting organization is known to have on its condemned list thirty persons, headed by Grand Duke Alexis and Gov. Gen. Trepoff, but the police, although they have arrested several persons with bombs in their possession, have been completely baffled in their efforts to discover the invisible hand which is directing the campaign of the terrorists.

The police theory continues to be that the central organizations of those engaged in the conspiracies are at Geneva and in Paris, and that the men arrested in Russia are agents selected to execute the sentences.

Foil Plot to Kill Trepoff.

Only yesterday the police by chance foiled what is believed to have been a plot to kill Gov. Gen. Trepoff. According to the latest details of the affair, a man was observed during the morning lounging at the corner of Great Morskaia street about a block away from the entrance to Gen. Trepoff's chancellery. The man attracted no attention at first, as he wore the red cap which is the distinctive mark of the messengers who stand at every street corner, but at last a policeman noticing that the man's face was not familiar to him approached the supposed messenger with the object of interrogating him. The man thereupon became alarmed, drew a revolver, and fired at the policeman but missed him. The policeman then overpowered his assailant and arrested him.

Seeking Trepoff's Carriage.

The two incidents, the arrest of the man on Great Morskaia street and the finding of the bombs, are undoubtedly connected. The man captured by the police on Great Morskaia street probably was on the lookout for some mark by which to distinguish General Trepoff's carriage, as several vehicles of the same style are constantly before the governor general's chancellery and when he drives out they circle around and leave in different directions, so that it is almost impossible in the confusion to determine definitely which carriage contains the governor general. It is said that General Trepoff a fortnight ago received a letter informing him that this ruse was unavailing as he would be killed in his bed.

ELEVEN KILLED IN POLISH RIOTS

Eight Men and Three Women Meet Death in Clash with Troops at Kutno.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, March 31.—The Lokal Anzeiger says that serious fighting occurred between troops and workers at Kutno, in Poland. Eight men and three women were killed and several persons wounded.

Rioting Renewed in Warsaw.

WARSAW, March 31.—Anonymous threat to dynamite the gendarmerie barracks here led to deplorable scenes. Strong guards that had been placed outside the building at night seized and mercilessly beat every one coming in the neighborhood of the barracks, compelling them to go in another direction.

CLEW TO BALTIC FLEET'S PLAN.

Colliers Engaged by Russia Said to Have Been Ordered to Proceed to Hongkong.

PORT LOUIS, Island of Mauritius, March 31.—A report is current here to the effect that the colliers accompanying the Russian squadron commanded by Admiral Rojestvensky were ordered to go to Hongkong by way of Batavia, island of Java.

OFFER JAPAN $500,000,000.

American Investors Flood New York Bank with Applications for the Mikado's Bonds.

New York, March 31.—[Special.]—Kuhn, Loeb & Co. announced today they will have to reject all further applications for shares of the new Japanese loan. Many more came in today, and it is estimated that the applications will reach $500,000,000. It will take some time to make the final allotments.

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KAISER PROMISES MOROCCO FREEDOM

Emperor of Germany in Tangier Speech Aims Shaft at French Ambition.

UPSETS PLANS FOR VISIT.

Rumor of Anarchist Plot and Fear of Complication Hasten His Departure.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

TANGIER, March 31.—Rumors of an anarchist plot against his life and fear of complications with France impelled Emperor William to overthrow all the elaborate plans for his reception here.

The kaiser remained on Moorish soil long enough, however, to make the declaration that "the sovereignty and integrity of Morocco will be maintained."

The kaiser afterwards visited the German embassy, held a secret conference with Mulai Abd-el-Malek, the sultan's uncle, and hurried back to his steamer, having remained on Moorish soil scarcely two hours.

The event was almost sensational in its promise of future complications. The Moorish officials had made the most elaborate plans for the reception of the emperor of Germany. All these plans were overturned for diplomatic reasons.

Fears Anti-French Outbreak.

Fear of an anti-French demonstration compelled the kaiser to veto the plans for an official reception from the Moorish authorities. French designs on Morocco are well known here. The promised visit of the kaiser was hailed as evidence that Germany was prepared to balk the French program, even though France has the moral support of England. There was thus an element of danger in the kaiser's visit that his advisers were quick to discern, and they persuaded him to give up most of his plans.

Consequently the kaiser landed almost secretly at an hour when he was not expected. He was not received by the diplomatic corps. He was not welcomed by the Moorish officials. He landed almost unnoticed save by Abd-El-Malek, a deputation of leading Moors, and a few German residents.

Pledges Morocco's Integrity.

The Germans delivered to his majesty an address of welcome, to which he replied as follows:

"I am happy to recognize in you devoted pioneers of German industry and commerce who are helping me in the task of always upholding in a free country the interests of the motherland. The sovereignty and integrity of Morocco will be maintained."

Emperor William then proceeded to the German legation, where he held a reception of the members of the diplomatic corps and the Arab nobilities, including former War Minister El Menebhi. Subsequently the emperor had another long conference with Abd-El-Malek and also a lengthy talk with the Spanish minister. Then he returned to the steamship Hamburg and sailed away.

The Moors do not attempt to conceal their disappointment. They had hoped much from the kaiser's visit. Those who saw him exhibited unwonted enthusiasm and throughout the two hours he spent on shore no untoward incident occurred.

Mystery in Kaiser's Move.

The changes in the kaiser's plans have caused no little wonderment here. It was well known that he was to land at 8 o'clock this morning. He did not land until 11 o'clock. The diplomatic corps and the Moorish officials who had assembled to welcome him were quietly informed that the elaborate ceremonials were to be dispensed with, and they dispersed.

Meanwhile there were mysterious conferences at the German legation with Moorish officials. Count von Tattenbach-Askold, former German minister to Morocco, went from one of these conferences to the steamship Hamburg, for a consultation with the emperor. Afterwards he returned to shore and had another mysterious conference with Moorish officials at the German legation. A second time the count consulted with the emperor on board the Hamburg. Then the emperor landed, as already described.

Kaiser Lands at Gibraltar.

GIBRALTAR, March 31.—The steamship Hamburg, with Emperor William on board, arrived here at 6 o'clock this evening. The British Mediterranean fleet hoisted the German ensign, the bluejackets manned ship, and the war vessels fired a royal salute. This was followed by a salute from the land batteries. The fleet and the land stations were dressed with bunting in honor of the imperial visitor. The governor, Field Marshal Sir George Stuart White, and his staff, immediately went on board the Hamburg and welcomed his majesty."

French Policy Is Unmoved.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, March 31.—Foreign Minister Delcasse made a significant speech in the senate this afternoon which evidently was designed to meet questions arising in connection with the visit of Emperor William today to Tangier. The minister spoke with moderation, but his closing declaration that "resistance in interested quarters would not cause France to modify her policy" brought out vigorous applause.

"France's Moroccan policy," M. Delcasse said, "continues on the same conditions as it was begun. France possesses a special standing in Morocco. The Anglo-French treaty recognizes that it is France's task to assist in opening Morocco to civilization, and also that from the economic point of view all nations have an equal footing there.

"The resistance of parties interested in maintaining the present anarchical condition of affairs leaves no room for illusion, but that will not modify our policy. Morocco is aware both of our good will and our strength, and also that we do not seek to expand a maturely thought out program of Moroccan policy. It therefore appears that France will succeed in assuring its future in the western Mediterranean without offending any right or clashing with any interest."

Causes Distrust in England.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, April 1, 3 a. m.—The excitement caused by Emperor William's visit to Tangier has not been lessened by what he is reported to have said there. What he actually said is doubtful. One version states he said:

"There is no prepondering influence in Morocco. Germany must enjoy the same rights as other powers. We guarantee that the sovereignty of Morocco shall and will be maintained."

This defiant version serves as a peg on which London newspapers hang further querulous editorial observations and criticisms as to the meaning of his visit.

Keen Interest in Berlin.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, April 1, 3 a. m. — Great importance is attached here to the kaiser's visit to Tangier. The prevailing sentiment, probably, is summed up in the words of the National Liberal newspaper, which says: "It will show that Germans have not become quite so unbismarckian as sometimes is supposed." It is reported that negotiations have begun at Fez for a commercial treaty between Germany and Morocco.

CHESS MAN TRIES TO DIE.

CHAMPION PILLSBURY IN MANIA AFTER AN OPERATION.

Attempts to Leap from Window of Fourth Story in Hospital and Is Fighting Physicians When Wife Comes and Calms Him by Telling Him He Must Go Back to Bed in Order to Play Match—Recovers His Mind Later.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 31.—[Special.]—Through the coolness and presence of mind of his wife Henry Nelson Pillsbury, the American chess champion, was prevented from leaping from the fourth story of the Presbyterian hospital last night.

After nurses had failed to quiet the man, who is a patient there, physicians tried to hold him in bed, but in vain. He was fighting the physicians and making for the window when Mrs. Pillsbury entered. Taking in the situation at a glance, she said:

"Harry, go back to bed or you won't be able to play the match."

Pillsbury quietly returned to bed. Today he was rational again. He has been in ill health since his breakdown at the Monte Carlo tournament two years ago.

Lack of exercise, excessive smoking of black cigars, and too close application to chess are responsible for his trouble. He underwent an operation on Tuesday and since then he has been temporarily insane.

Pillsbury's condition recently prevented him from participating in chess tournaments, and this is believed to have caused him much worry. A New Englander by birth, he has resided in this city for five years. Mrs. Pillsbury formerly was Miss Bush of Brooklyn. Her husband long was a resident of Brooklyn and achieved distinction as a chess player when a member of the chess club of that city. Since his residence here he has been a member of the Franklin Chess club and has played on all the important team matches.

RIGHTS OF FRENCH CABLE ENDED BY CASTRO'S COURT.

Venezuelan Jurist Decides Company Has Forfeited Its Contract by Failure to Live Up to Its Obligations.

CARACAS, Venezuela, March 31.—President Arnal of the highest court today decided that the French cable company has forfeited its contract by failure to fulfill its terms. He ruled against the government in the action for damages resulting from the company's acts. Five days are allowed the company to appeal for a reconsideration by the entire court, whose decision will be final.

Bowen Objects to a Change.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—[Special.]—Herbert W. Bowen, the United States minister to Venezuela, does not wish to be withdrawn from Caracas at the present time. It developed today that by direction of the president a cablegram was sent to Mr. Bowen asking if he would like a transfer to some other post. His reply states he prefers to remain where he is, presumably until progress has been made in adjusting the disputes between the Venezuelan and American governments.

Since Dr. José de Jesus Paul, special agent of President Castro, informed President Roosevelt that Mr. Bowen was persona non grata, no action has been taken by the president, other than to confirm him in his intention to appoint a new man at Caracas. In the meantime, nothing will be done in respect to Venezuelan affairs, and Mr. Bowen will transact only ordinary business with the Venezuelan authorities.

Dr. Paul asserted this afternoon that he had acted in strict accordance with instructions from President Castro when he presented a complete statement of Venezuela's view of Mr. Bowen and the various questions pending. It had been intimated Castro might not stand by the representation.

AT OUTS WITH DOMINGO PLAN.

France and Italy Reported Dissatisfied with Financial Arrangement with the United States.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

SANTO DOMINGO, March 31.—It is said France and Italy are not well satisfied with the financial arrangement with the United States. The government has decided, instead of calling a meeting of foreign creditors of the republic, to publish in the Official Gazette a statement of the disposition of the customs revenues with a view to the settlement of the debts, and a suspension of payments on account of these debts until the Dawson-Sanchez convention shall have been disposed of.

Answer to Moore Protest.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—In answer to the representations of John Basset Moore, which are in the nature of a protest against the interference with the execution of the award in favor of the Santo Domingo Improvement company, he has been informed that though under the operation of the new agreement all of the customs collections at the Dominican ports, save the 55 per cent going to the support of the government, are to be kept on deposit in New York, the company will not lose the right it now has. The question of the distribution of the money, supposing the treaty is ratified, will not be settled in advance. It is expected that the American customs collectors will be paid by the Dominican government.

NEW ATTEMPTS AT BLACKMAIL.

Threatening Letters Received by William Ziegler and Another Man Attributed to Black Hand.

Stamford, Conn., March 31.—[Special.]—Investigation of the attempt to extort money by means of threatening letters from James I. Raymond of Strawberry Hill has brought to light similar attempts to get $5,000 from William Ziegler, the baking powder man, and John T. Williams, a wealthy New York business man, who have country seats here. The letters are credited to members of the Black Hand. Death was threatened if the money was not paid.

MAN KILLED: MILK IS SAVED.

Resident of Middletown, N. Y., Struck by Train While Carrying Pail of Lacteal Fluid.

Middletown, N. Y., March 31.—[Special.]—R. Eli Mapes, proprietor of "The Oaks," a popular boarding house in this city, was struck and killed instantly by an Ontario and Western railroad train tonight. Mapes was carrying a pail of milk, and after the accident it was found upright near the body, with the milk still in it.

LIGHTNING STRIKES A PYRAMID.

Several Blocks of Stone Dislodged from Top of Khephren—First Similar Occurrence in History.

CAIRO, March 31.—The pyramid of Khephren, otherwise the second pyramid, has been struck by lightning and several blocks of stone at the top were dislodged. It is said to be the first time any of the pyramids has been struck by lightning.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

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$19.50 to Jennings, La., and return.
$19.50 to Lake Charles, La., and return.
$20.00 to Beaumont, Tex., and return.
$20.00 to Houston, Tex., and return.
$20.00 to San Antonio, Tex., and return.

Also low rates to other points in Mississippi, Louisiana, and Texas. Return limit, 21 days. A Pullman excursion sleeping car will be run on train leaving Chicago at 6:20 p. m. for Memphis on the above dates. Double berth, $1.50. Particulars at city ticket office, 99 Adams street. Phone Central 2705.

CORRUPTION FUND HISTORY IS TOLD.

Former Employes of Policy "Ring" Explain How the $10,000 Was Raised.

PUT IN SENATOR'S HANDS.

Big and Little Gamblers Contribute to Defeat the Pending Measure.

Efforts of the policy "ring" of Chicago to defeat the passage of "senate bill No. 30" at Springfield with a corruption fund of $10,000 were described yesterday by two former employes of the combination who had enjoyed its confidence.

In the statements made by each of these persons—whose names are withheld at their request—the same Chicago senator is mentioned as the individual who is intrusted with the fund.

The list of contributors to the fund varies slightly in the accounts, owing to the fact that not only the "big fellows" of the ring gave to it but their satellites also.

In all, at least twenty persons interested in the policy business in Chicago are said to have paid their assessment toward the $10,000.

Decided On at Secret Meeting.

Subscriptions were paid to a personal representative of one of the leading members of the combination, following a secret meeting of the members, on Feb. 14. This is said to have been called by "Patsy" King, the acknowledged head of the combination, and to have been attended by ten men directly in charge of the six "books" composing it, as follows:

"Indiana and Springfield."
"Phoenix and Yuma."
"East and West."
"Bung-a-Loo."
"Baltimore and Ohio."
"Frankfort and Kentucky."

Fear Prospect in the House.

Significance is given the date of the meeting in that two days before the bill had passed the state senate with little opposition and had been reported to the house—in spite of a strong lobby. How the prospect of the measure passing the lower chamber appealed to the policy ring in Chicago is told best in the words of one of the men "on the inside" at the time, who consented to talk yesterday.

"From what I was told, the passage of the bill by the legislature meant that policy in Chicago was a thing of the past and that a lot of men who were making easy money as handbook operators, as well as the 'high guys,' would be separated from the means of making a living," he said.

"The prospect of better times later on, if the bill didn't pass, had appealed to every man in the business. There was hope expressed that Schuettler, who had bothered the policy men so much, would be put out of business.

"Patsy King told the policy men where they 'got off at.' He called the meeting and put it to them straight—would they rather keep their money in their pockets and lose their living or spend a little of it among the legislators at Springfield.

"There was no dispute about the matter. In fact, there never had been that I know of. They always have stuck to each other like brothers. From its beginning the policy ring has worked like a piece of machinery, owing to the clever headwork and influence of 'Ed' Morris, its attorney.

Each "Book" Pays a Share.

"The money was raised by subscription. Each one of the six 'books' was assessed one-sixth of the $10,000, and what the big fellows didn't contribute was paid by the little ones. Then the money was given to the Chicago member of the senate the combination had agreed on, and things began to happen at Springfield. None of us knew just how it was done, but the anti-policy bill disappeared for a time and has been receiving jolts ever since.

"I don't know what has been done, except as I hear indirectly from men who still are in the ring's confidence. As for myself, I lost out when I got in a squabble with one of the leaders. Since that time the ring has tried to make an example of me.

"Ed Morris is the brains of the policy ring and has dictated its operations ever since it was formed. For keeping it out of trouble as much as possible and taking care of it when it got into trouble he has been given a salary of $600 a month, or $100 by each of the books.

"The ring now is a power among the police and in the police courts. I know of one instance where a man who ventured to oppose it openly went to the bridewell on trumped up evidence. Others have been so harassed that they were driven out of business."

Reform Associations Interested.

Rumors of a "slush fund" raised by the policy men of Chicago reached the Legislative Voters' league and the Citizens' association several days ago and since then have been the subject of investigation. The anti-policy bill was introduced in the legislature at the instance of the association by Senator Lundberg and provides heavy fines and imprisonment not only for the policy operator, but for landlords who permit their buildings to be used for this kind of gambling.

"The Legislative Voters' league has no report to make on the matter at present," said Secretary Hoyt King yesterday. A similar declaration was made on behalf of the Citizens' association by Secretary Shelby Singleton.

Ask Police to Find Missing Men.

Two telegrams were received from Cleveland, O., yesterday asking the police to find three men. One, signed by Mrs. A. J. Brennan, 58 Percival street, requested that a search be made for James Belmont and Leo McEwen, as a relative of theirs was dead. The other telegram was from Mrs. L. Rose, 235 Lake street, and asked that William McCor, a waiter, be found. His mother died recently in Cleveland.

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SMITHS TO RESIST EXTRADITION.

Relatives of Nan Patterson, Indicted for Conspiracy, Will Fight Return to New York.

Cincinnati, O., March 31.—That J. Morgan Smith and his wife would resist extradition to New York, where they have just been indicted for conspiracy with Nan Patterson, Mrs. Smith's sister, in connection with the death of Cæsar Young, the bookmaker, last May, was made evident this afternoon when Attorney Shay secured writs of habeas corpus from Common Pleas Judge Smith, returnable Monday.

One writ is for J. Morgan Smith and the other for his wife, Julia Patterson Smith, and it is alleged in the writs that the Smiths are held without warrant, and that there is no authority in law for their detention.

Before securing the writs Attorney Shay called at the police station and conferred with his clients, for the first time since their arrest.

HER FINE "HOME" CAUGHT 'EM.

Patient in Nebraska Asylum Engages Herself to Score of Suitors Through Matrimonial Bureau.

Omaha, Neb., March 31.—[Special.]—Postoffice inspectors are investigating a peculiar case of using the United States mails to defraud. The accused woman is wife of a Nebraska physician and an inmate of the Lincoln Hospital for the Insane.

Since her incarceration she has become a member of a matrimonial bureau at Denver, and has succeeded in engaging herself to more than twenty men in various parts of the country. To all she represented herself as living in a magnificent stone and brick castle of a hundred or more rooms, surrounded by beautiful grounds, and her wants attended to by scores of servants.

Her statements are all true, and she is exempt from prosecution by reason of the additional fact that she is insane.

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The new spring garments are complete and many of the advance summer styles as well—handsome patterns in Scotch Tweeds, Homespuns, Cheviots and English Flannels—Ready-to-slip-right-into-them too—but you'd think they were custom garments.

DEPARTMENT SECOND FLOOR.

CAMPAIGN CLIMAX GREETS HARLAN.

More than 4,000 People in the Auditorium Cheer Him for Five Minutes.

ALL TYPES IN AUDIENCE.

Col. Frank O. Lowden and Congressman Boutell Also Receive Much Applause.

When John Maynard Harlan stepped on the Auditorium platform at 9:30 o'clock last night the present mayoralty campaign reached its climax. More than 4,000 people rose to their feet. Handkerchiefs fluttered from every balcony, and cheers, salvos, and hurrahs echoed through the vast room. When the tumult subsided the applause took on a more orderly form, and shouts for "John Maynard Harlan, the next mayor," were given twice, thrice, and then repeated again and again.

By a process of gradation the outburst softened until, after a demonstration fully five minutes in duration, the voice of Chairman Henry Sherman Boutell could be heard announcing Mr. Harlan as the next speaker.

On the stage were seated two hundred representative citizens of the city, most of them members of the "New Chicago committee"—men who have allied themselves with that organization regardless of political faith and have thrown the weight of their influence for the republican ticket because in their opinion it offers the best and surest means to attain a new and better Chicago.

All Types Are Present.

In the audience there was represented every element in the city's complex life. There was a sprinkling of fashion in the boxes. In the audience seated on the main floor and in the three balconies were business men, clerks, laboring men, foreigners—all voters—running the gamut of Chicago's cosmopolitan population.

The republican organization under whose auspices the meeting was held was represented by Chairman James Reddick and Fred A. Busse. Both were cheered roundly when they came on the stage. When Col. Frank O. Lowden came into the view of the audience a moment later he received extraordinary applause. He had come on from Lakewood, N. J., to take a hand in this last big meeting. Congressman Boutell, who presided, also was greeted warmly.

The audience was responsive to every argument that was made. Each speaker—Mr. Boutell, Mr. Lowden, and Mr. Harlan—was interrupted by voices from some part of the great hall and all formality was banished. It was distinctly a political meeting and the people present wanted to hear a certain amount of old fashioned political harangue.

Boutell Begins the Speaking.

Congressman Boutell began the speechmaking of the evening. Before presenting Col. Lowden to the audience, he took occasion to express forcibly his opinions on the leading issues in the campaign and to characterize it as a political contest on which the entire nation had fixed its eye. "Inasmuch as the question of good government is of nation wide importance," he declared, "its solution rightly depends upon the correct solution in Chicago." Mr. Boutell then pointed to Mr. Harlan as a man on whom the people may to lead the city to civic decency, and characterized him as "the undaunted leader of the great movement for civic regeneration in Chicago."

Vital Interest to Country.

"The securing of good municipal government under our system of universal manhood suffrage," Chairman Boutell declared, "is a problem which is of vital interest to the whole country." He described Judge Dunne as a man who had adorned the bench, but expressed the hope that he would be permitted to continue to adorn it.

"A man may be a good lawyer and an upright judge," he declared, "and yet he still may find things in his life which he cannot do. I dare say Judge Dunne could not drive one of those cars he talks so much about; I doubt if he could even ring up a fare; and yet he is an upright judge. We want for the office a man in whom is combined an understanding of all the phases of city life. We want a man who will not only solve the traction problem but will widen the enlightening influence of the public school. We want a man in whom is combined John the Baptist, Moses, and Joshua—a man who will not regard the office of mayor as a political reward."

Col. Lowden Is Introduced.

Mr. Boutell then introduced Col. Lowden. As the former candidate for the gubernatorial nomination arose and walked to the edge of the platform, he was cheered wildly.

Mr. Lowden at once announced that he would disregard the traction issue and confine himself wholly to a discussion of the other questions of moment to be decided at the polls on Tuesday. He pleaded with his hearers to inject new life into the municipal corpse and lift its government to the high standard set by its industrial, commercial, and educational achievements.

"In every way except in the administration of government Chicago has made giant strides," he began. "In its manufactories the most improved methods have obtained; its great mercantile establishments are models for every city on earth to copy; its business progressiveness commands the admiration of the whole business world. In the last decade Chicago has grown to be regarded as the educational pulse of the nation; it has become a center of music and art in this country.

City Government Retrogrades.

"With these things in mind, it is no wonder that we must ask, 'Why has Chicago made such a lamentable failure of municipal government?' In eight years the city has not made the slightest progress. It is in a worse condition than it was when George Swift, the last republican mayor, went out of office; its treasury is empty; its credit is impaired.

"We are going to have a change on Tuesday and awaken the city from its sleep of eight long years.

"Compare Chicago with any large business institution anywhere. Suppose you went into a great manufacturing plant and found the machinery all out of repair, the raw material rotting, and the employes idling about. Then suppose the only explanation given you for the stagnation was that the management in power had spent all its time in arranging for the transportation of what the plant produced, until at last it produced nothing. The voters of Chicago have returned Harrison to power three times to give the democratic party a chance to settle the traction question. You see how well it has been settled. Do you think the democratic party should be given another chance?"

Horse Still in the Stream.

Col. Lowden then recalled to the minds of his hearers a poster which was placarded all over the city two years ago.

"You will remember two years ago you saw great posters on the billboards in every section of the city which pictured Carter H. Harrison mounted on a horse in the middle of a stream. Under this picture you read the legend, 'Don't swap horses while crossing a stream.' That horse and its rider are still in the middle of that stream. In two years the old democratic horse has not taken a step forward. I think if Lincoln were alive he would absolve us from obeying that doctrine at this election.

The speaker then pleaded for the divorce of the police force from politics.

"Another great question confronting the people at this election," he said, "is that affecting the policing of the city. The police force should be divorced absolutely from politics. The police are too close to the voting booth on primary and election days. Then there are the schools to think of—the nurseries of citizenship. Who are to bear the burdens of citizenship after us if not the children. Is this school question a side issue? A question which requires no consideration? There is something more to be thought of when you go to the polls on Tuesday than merely the question of your transportation.

Republican Party Does Things.

"Mr. Harlan already has taken the pains to consult eminent authorities on the traction question. He is able to begin activities as soon as he is elected. That is the difference between the republican and the democratic parties—we don't need to say unkind things in this campaign—still I cannot refrain from pointing out that the main difference between the republican party and the democratic party is that the former does things, while the latter talks things.

"I cannot tell you through what process of thinking Mr. Harlan will go to arrive at a solution of the traction question. I cannot tell you what position he will take every twenty-four hours, but there is one thing I can tell you, and that is when Mr. Harlan has reached a conclusion he will refer the conclusion to the people and let them vote on it."

Harlan in Good Voice.

Mr. Harlan was the last speaker of the evening. He was in fine voice, and was heard distinctly and without effort on his part in all parts of the auditorium.

"We are about at the end of a campaign," he said, "in which the people have witnessed a sort of panorama. Up to the present time they have been presented with three pictures.

"The first was one in which was realized in large measure our dream of the city's destiny. It bore the inscription: 'Municipal ownership.'

"For years we have been struggling toward the realization of that magic legend. We have fought for it regardless of party or political beliefs. Under republican leadership, however, every step toward the goal has been taken. Every bill passed, every useful measure secured, every helpful report contributed has been due to the unceasing effort of republican leaders to secure the streets for the people.

Big Vote for City Ownership.

"Sentiment has been crystallized so far in this community that nearly 120,000 citizens voted at a recent election in favor of municipal ownership and operation. This means that an enormous body of opinion in this community favors municipal ownership of street cars. Our total electorate is only 420,000. One hundred and twenty thousand of that number have expressed their desire for public ownership of private properties.

"That was the condition of affairs when the two conventions met. Ours was the first to declare in favor of municipal ownership, and for an immediate improvement in the service, if any arrangement with the owners of the traction properties could be made with that end in view. But we stipulated that any such arrangement must meet with the approval of the people.

"What did the democrats do? They took up the cry of municipal ownership, and, in order to deceive the people, they put the word 'immediate' in front, and made 'immediate municipal ownership' the slogan of their campaign.

"Soon, however, the people saw the delusion and snare that lurked in these words. They saw that the only immediate thing the democratic party promised was an immediate lawsuit. The republican platform and the republican candidate have pledged a guarantee that no ordinance will be passed looking to the solution of the traction question until the people have expressed their approval of the same.

"This guarantee has taken the traction question out of the campaign. I say this because I assume the people have confidence in their own honesty and intelligence. They are the ones who will settle the traction question, if the republican ticket is elected."

Second Picture: Side Issues.

Mr. Harlan then referred to the second picture in the panorama which the campaign had unrolled before the view of the people.

"Then," he continued, "the people turned their eyes to the second picture. They saw the police freed from politics and politics cleared of the police. They saw the public school system divorced from politics. They saw the barnacles swept from the administrative machinery of the city. They saw the padded pay rolls pared down. These were the 'side issues' which the republican candidate thought important enough to discuss but which the democratic candidate beheld with indifference.

"The next panel of the panorama was disclosed, and the men who realized they were without an issue in the campaign took refuge in slander. They were not willing to come out into the open and stand behind their charges. These charges were made mostly on yellow paper. We therefore know where they originated. The 'National Hinky Dink' was mainly responsible for this sort of thing.

"Why don't you call it by its right name!" shouted a man in the gallery. "It's the 'Daily Assassin!'" Then there was an uproar of applause.

Denounces Attack on Greenebaum.

Mr. Harlan then made more clear the meaning of a former reference to the attacks made upon the character of the republican candidate for treasurer, Mr. Greenebaum.

"As further evidence of the campaign of slander," he continued, "I hold in my hand two dodgers printed in red ink. That fact suggests their source. We all know who has the monopoly of red ink in this market."

"Sure we do," interrupted a man in the top gallery.

"Hit him harder," shouted another, and then Mr. Harlan continued:

"One of these handbills says: 'If you want to vote for a loan shark, vote for Moses Greenebaum.' The other is addressed to laboring men and says: 'If you want the mortgage on your house foreclosed, vote for Greenebaum.'

"Fellow citizens, I think it shows a pretty desperate situation when our opponents are driven to slander of this infamous variety as the only means of getting votes."

Here Mr. Harlan was again interrupted by a voice from the gallery: "It's the Daily Assassin. Hit him again."

Then the speaker mentioned William Randolph Hearst. He said:

"When I recall the way in which this man and his papers vilified President McKinley, abused Roosevelt, and blackguarded Deneen, and when I further recall that the people by a vote of 2,000,000 majority for Roosevelt and 900,000 for Deneen showed their appreciation of that vilification, I do not feel that it is necessary to deal seriously with his attacks upon the republican candidate for mayor."

The close of the speaker's address was marked by great enthusiasm and applause.

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HARLAN'S MEETINGS TODAY.

10 a. m.—South Chicago. Mr. Harlan speaks.

EVENING.

Schlitz hall, One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Michigan avenue, 8:30 o'clock—Speakers, Mr. Harlan, Ald. Bennett, etc. Bennett, etc.

Bromstedt's hall, Sixty-third and Halsted streets—Mr. Harlan, city candidates, and aldermen.

Auburn hall, Seventy-ninth street and Lowe avenue—Mr. Harlan and city candidates.

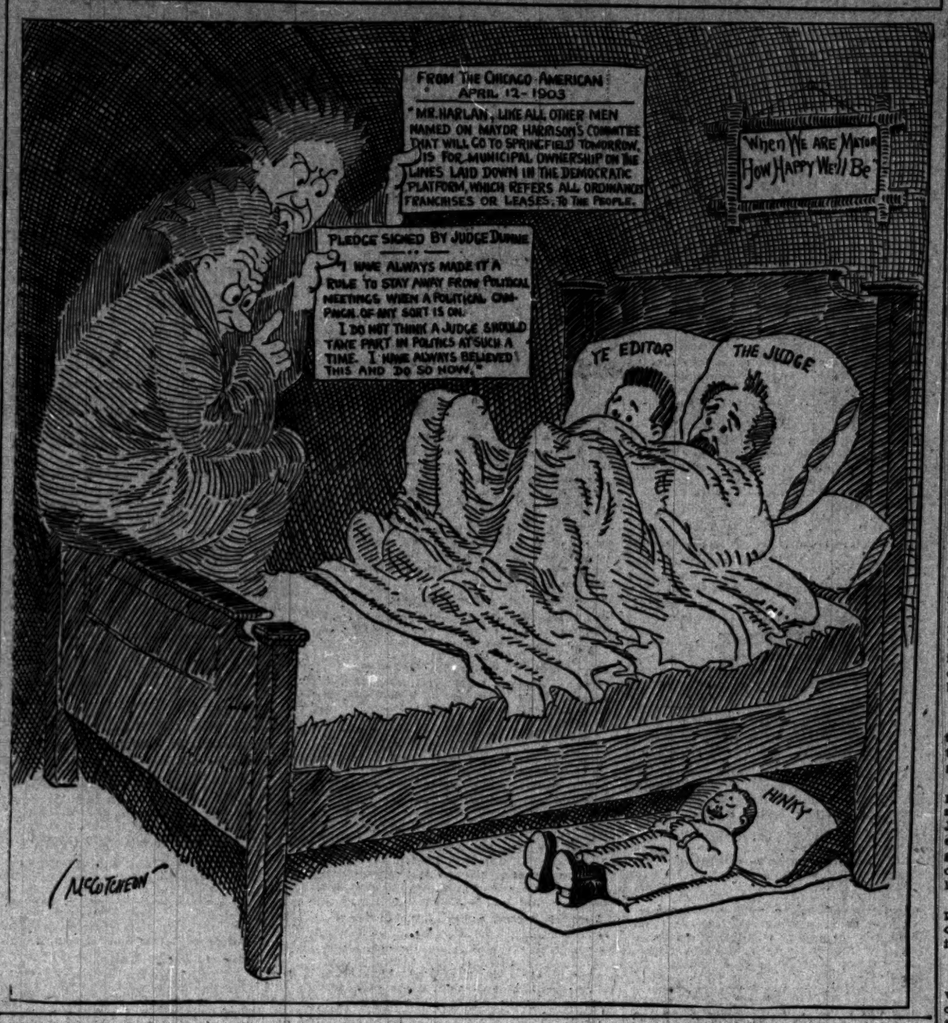
Woodlawn Park club hall, Sixty-fourth street and Woodlawn avenue—Mr. Harlan, Col. Frank O. Lowden, George E. Foss, James R. Mann, and others.

Liberty hall, Thirtieth and Union avenue—Mr. Harlan and city candidates, Frank O. Lowden, Ald. Raymer, E. J. Magerstadt, and others.

Lower Lincoln Turner hall, Diversey and Sheffield avenues—Speakers, William Hard, C. P. Abbey, Matthew Mills, Ald. Dunne and Williston, and others.

Republican headquarters, 513 Wabash avenue—Col. Lowden and others.

SPECTERS RISING FROM THE PAST.



LIKENS TRACTION TO GROCERY DEAL

Ald. Foreman Shows That Big Fixed Charges Will Cause Bankruptcy.

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and so that the city, if it then desired, could purchase the physical property for its fair market value, without regard to any franchise, or any bonds, or any watered stock. Then we could try municipal ownership or lease the lines as we saw fit."

"Assuming that the companies would accept some such proposition as that outlined in the tentative ordinance, what would the city do in the meantime to improve the service?"

Need of a Subway.

"Personally, I believe the subway is the one thing on which the city should embark, and by means of which it can go a great way towards solving the traction problem. We need here in Chicago not only better facilities but more facilities. The subway proposition has been pronounced feasible, and more than that, it would give us a system by which we would connect the different divisions of the city in the downtown district without any congestion, and without making the business district a terminal. A system of underground lines could be constructed between Chicago avenue and Twenty-second street and from the lake to Halsted street, probably within three years. There would be room for two lines of cars, with a separate subway at either side for other public utilities. We could secure in ducts for telephone wires, electric light wires, gas mains, steam pipes, pneumatic tubes, and similar devices which have become necessary in the modern city life enough to go a long way toward paying the interest on the money invested in the building of the subway.

"Covering only the downtown streets, we would solve the problem of getting under the river, and there would be an avenue of exit for surface roads in every direction outside of the limits I have named. Subways of this character have been built in other cities. Boston has one which is in successful operation, and I believe the time has come when Chicago ought to make a move in this direction."

Freight Tunnel Not in Way.

"Would the proposed subway interfere with the present freight tunnel in any way, and would you invite litigation on that account?"

"The two systems would not conflict. The tunnel company's ordinance provides that their tubes must be out of the way if the city builds a subway of its own. They would have to make some alterations at two or three places where they come near the surface, but on the whole the two systems would not interfere. Furthermore, the tunnel company's ordinance distinctly provides for municipal ownership. I hardly fancy the city would care to go into the business of carrying freight, but we have the right to do it if we wish, and we can take possession of the tunnel if it would facilitate the building of a subway."

"How would the subway, if built, affect the existing traction problem?"

"It would be the beginning of a solution, at least. The city needs largely increased means of transportation. If all the existing surface lines and the elevated roads were put in the best possible condition and run under the best possible management, they would still be unable to meet the demand for transportation. Chicago has grown enormously of late years, and we must set about adding to our means of transportation by an entirely new system and utilizing entirely new spaces.

"The development of a subway system with outlying feeders of surface roads would force the traction companies to give us better service as a mere matter of business competition. If we go into municipal ownership by means of a subway we would have a club to use on the traction companies, because we could readily make a complete system by tapping the outside territory, and in this way bring the traction people to terms, and compel them to agree to a commutation of their long term franchises.

Passenger Railway Too Small.

"Our committee has approved the advertisements for bids on the lines outside of the ninety-nine year grants and we will, of course, proceed to develop whatever we can in that direction, but in the meantime we ought to be setting about the subway, because that is the only means by which we can secure a metropolitan system with universal transfers carrying a passenger from one end of Chicago to the other for a single fare. The old companies as they stand now are so situated as to prevent municipal ownership of a line which would have proper connections from one part of the city to the other. In many cases if we take over lines like the Chicago Passenger railway, we would simply force the people to pay two fares. We need the subway for itself, as an additional means of transportation in the business district, but it will be most of all important because it will furnish the keystone for a complete system of municipal transportation.

"The traction companies will come to time fast enough when they find that the city controls a complete system of its own which enables it to tap all three divisions of Chicago."

GRAY WOLVES' WORK RECALLED

Nonpartisan Harlan Club Tells What Men Now with Dunne Formerly Did.

The Nonpartisan Harlan club, with headquarters at 105 Adams street, issued bulletin No. 8 yesterday. It gives a list of the franchises which the old "gray wolves" who are now trying to get back into the council voted for between 1890 and 1896. It says:

"Is the council about to be delivered to the old 'gray wolves' because they claim to be for municipal ownership?

"Here are some who are trying to break in under Judge Dunne's banner. First ward, Michael Kenna; Fourth, Jim Dailey; Fifth, Charles Martin; Eleventh, Ed Cullerton; Sixteenth, John M. Nowicki; Eighteenth, John Brennan; Nineteenth, John Powers; and Twenty-ninth, Fred Hart. We might add to this list George Harding of the Second, though he wears a republican label.

"Martin, Cullerton, Brennan, and Powers were Yerkes men when John M. Harlan broke into the council and disorganized the franchise giving crowd, led by these men.

"Here are the franchises in public streets which Municipal Ownership John Powers donated to private corporations between 1890 and 1896, when Harlan stopped that method of doing things.

Bacon Compressed Air.	General Electric.
Economic Fuel Gas.	Chicago and Jefferson
Calumet Electric, 1892.	Transit.
Mutual Electric Light and Power.	Northwestern Elevated.
Universal Gas.	Chicago Midland.
South Chicago City railway.	Metropolitan Gas.
Cosmopolitan Electric.	North and West Chicago Street railway, 1894-'96.
Commercial Heat and Power.	Ogden Gas.
Northwestern Elevated in Fifth avenue.	Calumet and Blue Island.
United Electric.	Clark Street trolley.
Calumet Electric, 1895.	Union Consolidated Elevated.
Chicago General.	Central Electric railway.
Santa Fe.	North and West Chicago Street railroad, overhead trolley, 1896.
North Chicago Electric.	

"The Dunne campaign carries with it all this stuff. The newspaper organs of Hearst and Dunne call for the organization of the municipal ownership. Are you with 'em? Sure not! Neither is Harlan. Get right. Vote right."

For the last four days the Nonpartisan club has had a force of men making a canvass of the large office buildings. The buildings canvassed were: The New York Life, Chamber of Commerce, National Life, Rookery, Home Insurance, Woman's Temple, Ashland block, and the Title and Trust. The total people seen were 19,475. Of these 13,589 intend to vote for Harlan, 3,792 for Dunne, and 2,053 were noncommittal.

DUNNE BREAKS ONE PLEDGE.

Voter Calls Attention to Judge's Promise Not to Take Part in Politics.

Chicago, March 31.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—When Judge Edward F. Dunne was a candidate for reelection your valued paper recommended him to the voters of Chicago and Cook county because, as you stated then, Judge Dunne had pledged himself to a plank in the democratic platform that judges should be impartial and take no part whatever in elections of any kind or character. Your paper also stated that Judge Dunne had signed the following pledge, which I take the liberty to quote herewith:

"I have always made it my rule to stay away from political meetings when a political campaign of any sort is on. I do not think a judge should take part in politics at such a time. I have always believed this and do so now."

I notice Judge Dunne has broken those promises entirely and is now making a tremendous effort to get away from the pledge that he then made the people, which was a paramount issue in the democratic campaign. I remember that practically every paper in Chicago at that time indorsed Judge Dunne on account of those solemn pledges.

I myself voted for Judge Dunne because of your paper recommending that he would be impartial in all his rulings and would take no part in political campaigns of any kind or nature. Now, in plain words, he secured my vote for him as judge by false representation. Will you do me the kindness, through your paper, to answer the following question, which under the circumstances I think I have a right to ask:

Why should Judge Dunne wish to give up an office to which he has been elected for a term of six years, at a salary of $10,000 a year, to become mayor of Chicago for a term of two years at a salary of $10,000 a year—a total of $20,000? It seems to me he is making an effort to give away a large amount of money for the dear people's sake. However, I presume he thinks he can bunko the people once more.

I hope your paper will give this publicity, as there are thousands of people who would like an explanation as to why Judge Dunne is trying to give up $20,000 for $40,000 for an office which is not nearly so desirable.

A VOTER AND A CONSTANT READER OF THE TRIBUNE.

DENEEN IN HOME WARDS.

ROUSES OLD NEIGHBORS TO ENTHUSIASM FOR HARLAN.

Town of Lake Residents Throng Halls Where Governor Speaks—Are Told They Owe It to Their City to Vote for the Republican Candidate for Mayor—Speaker Denounces "Morgan" Charge and Says Good Word for Aldermen.

Gov. Deneen stumped in and around his "home" last night. When he had finished he boarded a train for his "other home," as he termed it, and left in the ears of his old friends and neighbors the parting injunction:

"Only a short time ago you showed your confidence in the republican party by placing it in power in the nation and in the state. Now you are given the opportunity of placing in the chair of the mayor of Chicago John M. Harlan, a man who will represent you fairly and impartially in the vigorous and thorough manner of which he is peculiarly capable and who will do something. He will use for your benefit the experience of eight years spent in the study of the traction question. Through him you will get municipal ownership.

"To vote for Mr. Harlan and the entire republican ticket is a duty which you owe to yourselves and to coming generations."

Governor's Trip a Triumph.

Greeted by cheers, congratulations, and handshakes, the governor's trip through the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second wards was in the nature of a triumph. Generally it took five or ten minutes to get from his automobile to the platform in the hall, for it seemed as though half the population of the town of Lake was out to meet him. Both arms going like pump handles, he had a word of greeting for everybody, from the street gamin to the "oldest inhabitant."

At Divore's hall, Forty-third and State streets, the governor made the first speech of the evening, before an audience made up almost entirely of workingmen, and numbering 800, the capacity of the hall. His address was brief, and as far as the mayoralty candidate was concerned he devoted himself almost entirely to two phases of the campaign—the difference between Mr. Harlan's proposed method of securing municipal ownership and that of his democratic rival; and a vigorous denial of the latter's charge that Mr. Harlan is the agent of J. Pierpont Morgan and the Wall street interests.

Attacks the "Morgan" Charge.

"They say that John M. Harlan represents Mr. Morgan," said Mr. Deneen. "Perhaps you remember that they said the same of the martyred McKinley and of President Roosevelt. They said the republican candidates were the tools of the coal barons, the beef barons, the Wall street interests, J. Pierpont Morgan, the cormorants, the goldbugs, and the overfed rich. They don't say that now, do they? If they do, they say it in their sleeves, and for their own satisfaction only.

"The people didn't pay much attention to it, did they? When John Maynard Harlan is elected next Tuesday do you think he will start upon his career with the New York financier as his sponsor? Not much. John M. Harlan is too stubborn a man to be led or governed by anybody."

Then followed hearty praises of Ald. Burns, who is seeking reelection, and at Lundgren's hall, Fifty-fourth street and Wentworth avenue, the governor repeated his speech. When he reached the headquarters of the Thirty-second Ward Republican club at Wentworth avenue and Sixty-fifth street Gov. Deneen found himself before an audience of nearly 2,000, whose applause took away nearly ten minutes of his time before he could "get a word in edgewise." His speech at this meeting included praise for Ald. Eidmann.

ONE SOCIALIST HOPES TO WIN.

Otto A. Schneider Believes He Will Be Elected to Council from Twenty-ninth Ward.

While the utmost expected by the socialists in the mayoralty race is a large increase in the vote over that of last fall, the leaders of the party hope to elect at least one alderman. In the wards populated by wage workers the socialists report a heavy falling off from the democratic following. A corresponding gain, they believe, will be made by their party.

The aldermanic candidate who has highest hopes of landing in the council is Otto A. Schneider in the Twenty-ninth ward. The socialists also believe they may come out on top in the Thirty-fifth ward, and they expect a large vote in the Twelfth.

In the democratic First ward the socialists hope for little. "The 'barrel house' element that has to be coaxed with beer offers poor soil for the advancement of socialism," said Charles L. Breckon, campaign manager.

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TULEY DELIVERS CAMPAIGN SPEECH

Aged Judge Argues for Democratic Candidate and His Traction Plan.

HIS VIEW OF J. M. HARLAN.

Declares He Is Man of Integrity, but Has "Monomania for the Mayoralty."

Bowed by the weight of nearly four score years, Judge Murray F. Tuley last night delivered a final word on his view of the traction question and urged the voters of the Sixth ward to support his friend, Judge Edward F. Dunne, for mayor. For an hour and a half the venerable man talked to an audience of 1,500 people in Oakland Music hall. In referring, in connection with the traction lines, to the expedition with which condemnation proceedings were handled by the courts, Judge Tuley said:

"The law requires them to be pushed through at once—to take precedence in all courts; and, knowing Chicago to be in earnest, I don't believe any judge would interfere. If I were mayor of Chicago and he did interfere"—and the judge's voice, which had been calm and judicial, rose to the oratorical—"I'd be behind the bars for contempt of court and the whole state of Illinois would be at my back."

What Judge Tuley Said.

Judge Tuley was introduced by J. M. Patterson as "the finest character in public life today." The text of the judge's speech is given in his own words, in part, as follows:

"Briefly stated, the issue is this: Shall the people of Chicago own and control their own streets or shall the streets be stock jobbed by J. Pierpont Morgan? Shall municipal ownership be postponed indefinitely, if not altogether prevented by further franchise grants, or shall we proceed at once under the Mueller law to establish municipal ownership?"

The judge paid a high compliment to the personal integrity of John M. Harlan, but claimed his desire to be mayor had led him into wrong paths.

His View of "Gray Wolves."

The argument that a number of "gray wolves" are trying to break into the city council under the cry of municipal ownership the judge dismissed after this fashion:

"In my opinion, and I say it without qualification, neither Mr. Harlan nor Judge Dunne would give us a wide open town, wide open Sunday, or be influenced by the saloon element, or that boodle element in the city council which we have been trying for years to get rid of. You all know my opinion of that class of men. But some of them will be in the council whether Dunne is elected or Harlan is elected, and they will be there for 'graft.' They will not go for their 'graft' either to Harlan if he is mayor, or to Dunne if he is mayor. They will go to the traction magnates. They will look for their 'graft' to ordinances extending franchises, and not to ordinances abolishing franchises."

Attacks Harlan's Position.

Arguing that the tentative ordinance prepared for the Chicago City railway was a bad thing, and saying that the reason he had written the letter which resulted in the nomination of Judge Dunne was because he felt it was necessary to have a municipal ownership candidate nominated by the democrats on a municipal ownership platform, and taking it for granted that Mr. Harlan stands for some kind of a franchise ordinance, if not for the tentative one in its exact form, the speaker went on:

"During all the struggle against a tentative franchise ordinance by the friends of municipal ownership seeking to sell our streets, John M. Harlan was never heard. He appeared to have forgotten that he ever was in favor of municipal ownership. No one would charge him with corrupt motives—no one who knows him. But his ambition seems to have undone him. His great desire to be mayor kept him quiet when he should have spoken. While those who know him do not doubt his integrity, they know that ever since he has lived in Chicago—about fifteen years—he has been the victim of a mania, a monomania, for the mayoralty office."

Judge's Comment on Federal Court.

But the tentative ordinance is now dead the speaker went on to say, and for its demise he praised Mayor Harrison and his corporation counsel. His words were remarkable in that they were uttered by a judge of the state courts, telling his hearers the city of Chicago had a better chance for justice in the state courts than in the federal ones. "By a splendid coup," said the judge, "Mayor Harrison and Corporation Counsel Tolman obtained the passage, by the city council, of a resolution authorizing proceedings in the state court for the purpose of testing the validity of the ninety-nine year act by our own Supreme court. They believe, as they had a right to believe, from past experience and observation, that we may get a fairer consideration of the rights of the city in the state courts than in the federal courts. So the city council itself has practically abandoned the tentative ordinance. It is dead, dead, dead! Peace to its ashes!"

His View of Two Candidates.

Some new policy must be taken up, Judge Tuley declared, and the question was whether it should be Harlan's policy or Dunne's policy. He compared the position of the two candidates in these words:

"A vote for Mr. Harlan is a vote for the franchise policy. A vote for Judge Dunne is a vote for municipal ownership."

Then answering the argument that the condemnation proceedings contemplated by Judge Dunne would mean years of litigation the speaker asserted the Dunne program promised quicker results than did the Harlan one. The Harlan program of building competing lines with the existing traction companies he criticised in these words:

"And where did you get your subway idea? Was it when you dined with Mr. Belmont, the great subway magnate of New York, the man who got the City of New York to pay for the subway and then to turn it over to him for fifty years? Tell us your subway plan. Tell us how you propose to finance it and to whom you intend to turn it over. If your subway plan is not Mr. Belmont's subway plan, what kind of a subway plan is it?"

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Improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

DUNNE ASKS SOCIALIST VOTE.

Candidate Solicits Support of Members of Party in Stockyards Address.

Judge Dunne finished his preliminary skirmishing in the outlying wards last night. He made his last speeches before the final roundup tonight at the Auditorium. In his speeches he attempted to recruit voters from the prohibition and socialist parties. A particularly strong plea to the latter was made to his first audience in the heart of the stockyards district, wherein the national election an unprecedented socialist vote was polled.

He told the people who thought the banks were disposed to doubt the validity of the proposed Mueller law certificates that these certificates would be gilt edged investments for the man who had a little money saved up. Also, he predicted that the price that would be paid for the dilapidated "worn-out street car system" would be a "worn out and dilapidated price." It would approximate, he said, $60,000,000 rather than $300,000,000, as his "distinguished opponent" had computed. At Schumacher's hall, 4600 Ashland avenue, where Judge Dunne made his first address, William Prentiss, his former rival for the democratic mayoralty nomination, entered. Stopping abruptly, Judge Dunne extended his hand to the newcomer and introduced him to the audience.

In the Thirty-first ward at Hochwald hall the judge met with an enthusiastic welcome. J. Hamilton Lewis and Capt. Adams had preceded him.

Judge Dunne spoke also at Fifty-ninth street and Princeton avenue, and at Sixty-third street and Ashland avenue.

AGED PORTER AFRAID OF OSLER.

Chauncey Tries to Resign at Wellington Hotel When Told the Chloroform Man Had Arrived.

Chauncey, the gray haired colored porter in the bar at the Wellington hotel, who has held his position since the hotel was started, tried to resign yesterday. He was told by some of the bell boys that Dr. Osler had come to Chicago for the purpose of chloroforming all men over 60 years of age. Chauncey, who is past 70, started for the hotel office and looked over the register. He found the name of "W. M. Osler, Philadelphia," and sent in his resignation.

"Mister Gage," he said, when he found him, "I'm wanting to leave you. I ain't going to stay in the same house with a man who wants to use chloroform. I may be over 70 years old and I may be colored, but I'm good for something yet, and I'm not going to stay here any longer."

Mr. Gage, the proprietor, assured the porter that Mr. Osler was not the man who originated the chloroform idea.

"This is not the first time I have been mistaken for my cousin," said Mr. Osler, when the story was told to him. "All through my western trip I was asked if I was a relative of the doctor."

FIGHT NEAR POLICE STATION.

One Round Match, Watched by Fifty Persons, Ends in Defeat of "Jack" Bailey by "Billy" Evans.

In a hall at Madison street and Western avenue, two blocks from the Warren avenue police station, "Billy" Evans of Chicago and "Jack" Bailey of Rockford had a bloody one round prize fight last night.

The mill was witnessed by fifty persons. Policemen in plain clothes and in uniform patrolling the neighborhood failed to hear the applause made by the "sports."

Both contestants wore small gloves, and each inflicted severe punishment on his opponent. The round that began and ended the fight was fully five minutes long. Bailey was knocked out and lost the match.

BETS NOT PLACED IN COURT.

Statement Explains an Error in Sentence Referring to Justice Boyer of Evanston.

An ambiguous sentence, "Justice Boyer, whose court is in Davis street, where a great deal of betting takes place," was changed by accident, and appeared in The Tribune yesterday as "Justice Boyer, at whose court a great deal of betting is done."

Justice Boyer, who never was suspected of complicity with the Evanston bookmakers, was besieged by a crowd of persons who were anxious to place bets.

He declared he was not guilty of the charge, and it is with the desire to emphasize his innocence that The Tribune states the manner in which the error was made.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Millinery—French Novelty Jewelry—Blouses.
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SEARCHLIGHT ON MEN FOR COUNCIL

Municipal Voters' League Recommends 31 Candidates for Alderman.

CLASSES TEN AS "UNFIT."

Report Uses Strong Language in Branding the "Gray Wolves" in the List.

The tenth annual report of the Municipal Voters' league, issued yesterday, recommends thirty-one candidates for the city council for the support of the voters. In four wards no advice of any kind is given. Ten candidates are picked out as unworthy of support under any circumstances.

The candidates recommended for election or deemed a menace to good government are divided politically as follows:

Recommended—Republicans, 20; democrats, 6; fusionists, 4; prohibitists, 1.
Denounced—Republicans, 3; democrats, 7.

Thirty-one Are Recommended.

The list of candidates the league asks the voters to elect next Tuesday is:

Ward.	Candidate.	Ward.	Candidate.
1.	Mollie H. McBride, R.	18.	A. J. Lanio, R.
2.	Henry S. Fitch, R.	19.	Simon O'Donnell, D.
3.	Milton J. Foreman, R.	21.	Otto Reese, R.
4.	John Fett, R.	22.	John H. Sullivan, D.
5.	E. C. Dobler, R.	23.	Charles Werno, D.
6.	Linn H. Young, R.	24.	Albert Hahne, R.
7.	R. I. Bennett, R.	25.	W. P. Dunn, R.
8.	Thomas F. Wall, D.	26.	W. F. Lippe, R.
9.	John A. Siiha, I.	27.	Silas F. Leachman, D.
11.	Charles J. Moertel, R.	28.	Adolph Larson, R.
12.	Michael Zimmer, R.	29.	Peter A. Wendling, R.
13.	John E. Scully, R.	30.	John Burns, R.
14.	Daniel V. Harkin, D.	31.	W. M. Butterworth, R.
15.	Jens L. Smith, R.	33.	Henry F. Eidmann, R.
16.	V. J. Jeswiekowski, I.	34.	Charles Woodward, R.
17.	L. W. Sitts, R.		

Ten Are in the "Unfit" List.

The candidates put in the "altogether unfit" list are:

Ward.	Candidate.	Ward.	Candidate.
1.	Michael Kenna, Dem.	11.	E. F. Cullerton, Dem.
2.	G. F. Harding, Rep.	16.	J. M. Nowicki, Dem.
5.	Charles Martin, Dem.	18.	J. J. Brennan, Dem.
10.	H. Moynihan, Rep.	21.	John Powers, Dem.
10.	W. H. Curran, Rep.	24.	W. H. Ehemann, Dem.

In the Ninth ward, where A. C. Harris is the republican candidate and Ald. H. C. Frieb the democratic; the Twentieth, where Ald. James C. Patterson is the republican, running against T. J. Fitzgibbons, the democrat; the Thirty-third, where the republicans have nominated W. C. Hunt against Paul Vanderberg, selected by the democrats; and the Thirty-fifth, where Ald. Frank L. Rand is the republican candidate against J. A. Reed, the democratic, the league has made no recommendations.

The platform the league has asked the candidates to sign practically is the same as it has submitted during the last few years. As to its position on municipal ownership the report says:

"The Municipal Voters' league, as an organization, is neither for or against municipal ownership, either as an immediate or ultimate policy for Chicago. The platform only stipulates that if a franchise is to be granted it should reserve the opportunity for municipal ownership at or before the expiration of the grant."

Gives Reasons for Denunciations.

In giving its reasons for denouncing the ten candidates it classes as unfit for public office, the report uses English of the plain variety, as follows:

"Ald. Michael Kenna—Fit representative of the dissolute, vicious, and criminal elements which infest certain parts of his ward, but it is a disgrace that the great business section of the city should be represented in the city council by such an alderman. He is now said to favor municipal ownership, but during his term in the council he has on one occasion, with a single exception, voted for the franchise holding corporations and against the people.

"George F. Harding—His nomination was sprung on the convention at the last hour. He has plenty of money to spend where his interest or his pleasure is involved, but has allowed judgments to be rendered against him in several petty cases; is involved with his father in fighting the payment of taxes, is himself a tax delinquent, either directly or indirectly, through a company of which he is the president and holder of a majority of the stock; has been fined three times since Jan. 1 for violations of the building ordinance; has been mixed up in various discreditable assaults; is a man of violent disposition, dangerous and unfit for the council.

"Worst of the Gray Wolves."

"Charles Martin—Business unknown. Has served several terms in the council, during which he voted for every objectionable franchise proposition. Having once defeated Martin for reelection, the Fifth ward ought not now to disgrace itself by allowing this worst of gray wolves again to become a power for evil in the community.

"Patrick H. Moynihan—Championed in committee the United Telegraph company's ordinance and at the same time that he backed this project a group of telephone promoters he opposed grants to small concerns which might engage in competition with the electric light monopoly.

"William H. Curran—Known as 'Red' Curran. Formerly was a bailiff in Judge Haney's court. Was let out on account of a report of a grand jury, of which Graeme Stewart was a member, which read as to him and three others, 'we are convinced these bailiffs should no longer be continued in the service of the county.' Curran is unfit, disreputable, and dangerous.

Now a Nuisance Without Influence.

"Edward F. Cullerton—Has been in the council for many years, where he was once a power for evil, but now is merely a nuisance without influence or standing. Was predecessor of Ald. Powers as leader of the franchise granting gang of the council; now professes to be a strong advocate of municipal ownership, which in his case means he is for anything to get at the crib; is absolutely hypocritical and insincere in any pretensions he may make."

"John W. Nowicki—Chief argument for his election among his friends is that if Nowicki is the other alderman Stanley Kunz will have two votes in the city council instead of one."

"John J. Brennan—Has uniformly voted for unworthy ordinances. Has always opposed compensation and provisions which favored the city; was for fifty year extension under the Allen law. A thoroughly disreputable record."

Powers Enemy of the Public.

"John Powers—When he was a candidate for reelection in 1896 Judge Tuley in scathing terms denounced Powers as a public enemy. Although a state senator, he is again a candidate for the city council, where he can look after the interests of the Illinois Tunnel company, which is said to desire changes in its present franchise. In all his career where there was a conflict of interest between a public service corporation and the people Powers never was known to take the side of the people. He has uniformly voted for bad ordinances and opposed efforts of public spirited aldermen to secure to the city concessions in return. Is thoroughly disreputable and dangerous."

"William H. Ehemann—Championed in committee the United Telephone company's ordinance and violated platform pledges with reference to public utilities. Tried to dominate a nominating convention by intimidating methods. Is an unreliable public officer, and ought not to be returned to the council."

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

REAR ADMIRAL A. S. BARKER, commander in chief of the North Atlantic fleet, has been placed on the retired list. In April, 1906, he was appointed to the command of the North Atlantic fleet. Rear Admiral Evans succeeds Admiral Barker.

MISS JANE ADDAMS, founder of Hull house, Chicago, has been the guest of honor at a dinner given by the Association of Neighborhood Workers at New York. She gave a brief address.

No torture compares to that of a Rheumatic. Prescription No. 2861, by Elmer & Amend, quickly relieves all.

Parents in Court Fight for Child.

Little Ethel May sits in Judge Heard's court, amusing herself by peeping shyly at the court attendants while her father and mother are fighting for her custody. The man, Henry May, charges that his wife, Mrs. Kittie May, once tried to drown the child while they were on a lake excursion. During three years the troubles of the family have been dragging in the courts.

Mrs. May was adjudged insane a year ago, and sent to a hospital, but has been discharged as recovered. Her husband accused her of having visited the St. Louis exposition with R. B. Giles. She denied the charge, and advertised for the man to appear and help her prove her innocence. He failed to respond.

Little Ethel, who has been made the subject of many court orders, now is in the custody of Mrs. John Stammers, 4326 Calumet avenue. The mother lives at 427 Belden avenue.

THIEF CHASE IN FLATS.

WINSTON BUILDING SCENE OF ANOTHER ROBBERY.

Robber Enters Apartment of Mrs. M. P. H. Baker, 137 Lincoln Park Boulevard, and Is Surprised by Her Son—Detectives Join in Pursuit, but Intruder Escapes—Janitor Found Examining Discarded Plunder Is Taken to Station, but Is Released.

After a burglar chase by residents and detectives through halls, basements, and alleys about the Winston apartment building, 135-137 Lincoln Park boulevard, last evening three detectives and a tenant of the building found Henry Mount, a janitor of the building, in a rear yard bending over silverware which had been thrown away by the thief in his flight. The man was taken to the station and later released when Judge Lockwood Honoré and B. M. Winston assured the police of his integrity. No further trace of the thief could be found.

The intruder first was seen in the apartments of Mrs. M. P. H. Baker by her son, James H. Graves, who was entering the rooms. Mrs. Baker had been the victim of a mysterious thief, committed one year ago, and at sight of the man Graves backed out quietly, intending to summon aid to capture the intruder. The thief heard him, however, and fled through another door and down the rear stairs.

Detectives Join in Chase.

Shouting for assistance, Graves ran down the front stairs, hoping to capture the thief as he attempted escape through the front. His cries were heard by Detectives Rohan, Maher, and Bearsall, who were passing the building. The detectives attempted to run through the janitor's room in the basement to reach the rear yard, but found the door closed.

Running through a side alley, they scaled a fence and, leaping into the yard, found the janitor bending over a quantity of silverware on the ground. They questioned Mount, who protested his innocence, but was taken to the East Chicago avenue station. He declared that he had heard the shouts and sound of running feet, and had run to the yard, where he saw the silverware thrown in a corner. As he bent over it the detectives clambered over the fence. The man asserted he had not seen the escaping thief.

Declare Janitor Is Honest.

A few minutes later Judge Honoré and Mr. Winston arrived, and declared the case probably one of mistaken identity. Their testimony as to the man's good character caused the police to release the janitor. All the silverware taken from the apartment of Mrs. Baker was recovered, but a purse containing a considerable sum of money could not be found.

The attempted burglary is the latest of a series in the apartment building. The burglary of the flat of Edward M. Hager, in which silverware and clothing were taken, preceded the attempt in the Baker apartments.

Holdup in Hyde Park.

A. O. Hopkins, 5014 Washington avenue, was held up by three men late in the evening at Fiftieth street and Washington avenue and robbed of $40. The robbers were masked and carried revolvers. Hopkins reported the case to the police, but no arrests were made.

GEN. L. T. ROSSER STRICKEN.

Virginian Suffers Attack of Apoplexy and Condition Is Regarded as Critical.

Charlottesville, Va., March 31.—Gen. Thomas L. Rosser was stricken with apoplexy today and his condition is critical.

INTRUDERS SEEK SECRET PAPERS.

Ransack Residence of German Consul While Caretaker Is Absent.

SEARCH EVEN THE BOOKS.

Police Are Asked to Maintain Silence Regarding Unusual Burglary.

Searching either for mysterious documents or for money they believed to be secreted, burglars have invaded the residence of the German consul, Dr. Walther Wever, 604 Dearborn avenue.

Dr. Wever is abroad and the thieves were uninterrupted, the caretaker being absent for the night. The invasion occurred Tuesday night, but did not become known until yesterday.

The methods of the intruders were minute and remarkable. The library appeared to have received their exceptional attention, although they were thorough everywhere. Many volumes were taken from the cases. The marks of fingers on the bindings of the books were visible.

Try to Disguise Purpose of Quest.

The surmise based on the actions in the library was that the quest may have been for some paper the consul was believed to have left behind him. If any was found, however, the unusual burglars took good care to disguise their success by carrying away some booty which would have appealed to ordinary thieves.

The exact amount of stolen property has not been ascertained, owing to the confusion in which the residence was left. The contents of almost every room were scattered. The police of the Larrabee street station were notified when the caretaker returned and discovered the robbery, but at the same time the request for secrecy was made.

Patrol Horse Is Used for Steed.

Mounted on a patrol horse Patrick Arundel, wagon driver at the Attrill street police station, pursued three boy robbers early yesterday morning, and, after rounding them up against a railroad embankment, held them until three policemen arrived.

Stanley Rajakyka, a milk wagon driver, was held up near Wrightwood avenue and North Central street by the boys, who later gave their names as Anton Pamillo, Frank Lazinski, and Richard Michaelthesney. An alarm was sent in, but when the patrol wagon reached the place the youngsters could be seen far across the prairie, trotting easily, believing they were out of reach of pursuit. Then Arundel used one of his horses as a steed.

Woman Captures a Burglar.

After discovering a burglar in a bedroom in the afternoon Miss Anna Wilson, 5424 Aberdeen street, closed the door to prevent the intruder's escape and held it until the police arrived.

The burglar, who later gave his name as Arthur Zepter, and in whose pockets the police found a gold watch and $16 belonging to Miss Wilson, threatened to shoot through the door at his captor unless she allowed him to go away.

Robbers Busy in Neighborhood.

Residents in the vicinity of Seventy-fifth street and Harvard, Princeton, and Eggleston avenues are protesting against the lack of police protection in their neighborhood. It is declared complaints to the chief and Capt. Madden have been without avail.

Persons who have been robbed recently are:

C. H. Barber, baggage master of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad, 7412 Harvard avenue; jewelry valued at $300 taken by two burglars yesterday morning.

E. L. Hanlon, 7501 Harlem avenue; held up and robbed by two masked men in front of his residence Thursday night; $3 and a gold watch taken.

Barber heard the burglars in his residence, but his wife prevented his attacking them.

ARGUES POLITICS: MAY DIE.

When Discussion Becomes Heated It Is Changed to Money Matters—Charles Meyer Is Stabbed.

Charles Meyer engaged William Gillis, his brother-in-law, in a discussion on politics last night. When the argument had become heated the subject was changed to the amount of money said to be due Meyer for Gillis' board.

Gillis, the police declared, became angry and attacked Meyer but was overpowered and severely beaten. Then, it is said, Gillis went to the kitchen of the house, 390 West Van Buren street, where the men were, and, returning with a knife, renewed the attack.

In the encounter Meyer was stabbed. He was taken to the county hospital, where it was said he would not live. Gillis was arrested.

Cheap Rates South

via the Pennsylvania Short Lines April 4th and 18th. Full particulars at City Ticket Office, 248 Clark street.

GIRL STARTS CAREER HERE

SOPHIA BECK, FUGITIVE, HAS RECORD IN CHICAGO.

Young Woman Now Believed on Way to Europe with $1,000,000 in Cash and Securities Belonging to Assets of Defunct Get Rich Quick Concern in Philadelphia Indicted in 1900 on Charge of Keeping a Gaming House—Flees with Her Employer.

Miss Sophia Beck, now the center of interest for the police in the east, who believe she is on her way to Europe on an Atlantic liner, carrying with her $1,000,000 in stocks and securities belonging to the assets of the defunct Storey Cotton company of Philadelphia, received her first training in Chicago. Here she first came into conflict with the law when an indictment was returned against her in February, 1900, on the charge of keeping a gaming house. She escaped trial.

Miss Beck came to Chicago in June, 1894, and was employed as a stenographer by a press clipping bureau with offices on the fifth floor of the Omaha building. Her salary at first was small, but her ability, which later made her worth $500 a month to the owners of the Storey Cotton company, was seen and appreciated by her employers, Stanley Francis and Frank Stone. She was transferred in a few weeks to another concern operated by Francis and Stone, known as the Turf Investment company, which was not so generally known to the public as the clipping bureau. The police declared the latter was only a blind to hide the operations of the other concern.

Flees with Her Employer.

The young woman did not confine herself to studying racing forms. Then Mrs. Stone became unfavorably impressed with her, and left her husband. When, late in 1899, Stone and the other representatives of the turf investment concern were compelled to flee Chicago, he took with him his young stenographer and left behind his wife.

Miss Beck's chief value to her employers, it appears, was in getting news of storms long before they burst, thus giving them ample time to close up their business affairs and change their addresses.

When Detective Wooldridge began an investigation of the investment concern the stenographer scented trouble. The detective gained all of the information deemed necessary before making arrests, and raided the offices of the concern, only to find them vacant.

After weeks of laborious watching and tracing Stone and Miss Beck were found in San Francisco, but they escaped.

Caught in New Orleans, but Escape.

Another expensive trip was made by Detective De Sousa, who at last found the fugitives in New Orleans. This time he succeeded in arresting Stone and Miss Beck. He telegraphed to Chicago and indictments were returned against both of the prisoners. Extradition papers were applied for and the police believed that, with the evidence against them, both man and woman would be forced to return to Chicago for trial.

The day following their arrest Miss Beck mysteriously came into possession of a satchel filled with money. Stone's cell in the jail was not comfortable enough and his stenographer had it carpeted. The prison fare was not palatable enough for him and Miss Beck secured meals for him which were sent to him from the best hotel in New Orleans. And finally, when they announced they would fight extradition, legal aid was secured by the woman, and, because of some technicality, both were released.

ACCUSES ATTORNEY TYLER OF "MUTUAL ASSOCIATION."

D. M. Brothers Also Names Constable Louis Grossman in Charges Filed with the Bar Association.

Charges of conspiracy to defraud small storekeepers in the outlying districts of the city were filed yesterday with the Chicago Bar association against William V. Tyler, attorney for the Citizens' Mutual association. The charges were preferred by Attorney D. M. Brothers, manager of the Illinois Free Employment office, 259 North Clark street.

Tyler is said to have employed small boys, furnished them with money, and sent them to stores in the outlying districts to buy tobacco. Tobacco thus purchased would be brought back to Tyler marked. Then proceedings would be instituted, generally in Justice Roth's court, in the name of the people.

"It is clearly a case of conspiracy to defraud the small storekeepers for the purpose of securing the fines as fees," said Attorney Brothers. "Often the cases against the alleged violators never have been called. They have appeared in court and paid a fine of from $4 to $10, and that would be the end of it. Then Tyler and the constable serving the summons would divide the money."

Brothers also charges Tyler with violation of the child labor law for employing boys under 14 years of age.

Concert to Aid Norwegian Hospital.

The Jubal male chorus will give a concert tonight in the Zion Evangelical Lutheran church, Artesian and Potomac avenues, for the benefit of the Norwegian Lutheran Deaconess' home and hospital, Leavitt street and Haddon avenue.

CULLOM WATCHES BEEF TRUST CASE.

Senator Visits Federal Officials Conducting the Grand Jury Inquiry.

CONNORS TO RUSH TRIAL?

It Is Reported Armour Superintendent Will Demand an Early Hearing.

The presence of Senator Shelby M. Cullom yesterday in the federal offices in the Monadnock building caused comment. It was taken by many as an indication that he is following closely that part of the grand jury's investigation of the alleged beef trust relating to private car lines and their connection with interstate commerce.

Within two weeks the senator will be in Chicago again to consult with local shippers regarding revisions of the interstate commerce laws, which largely were drafted by him.

It was reported also that Assistant Attorney General William C. Day is expected to visit Chicago shortly, either to assist in the investigation of the packing industry or to advise with Senator Cullom regarding the revision of the interstate commerce laws. There was another story that Attorney General Moody himself will come to Chicago before the grand jury completes its work, but it could not be verified.

Senator Cullom, who came to Chicago from Springfield, left in the evening for Washington. He said his visit at the Monadnock block had no especial significance.

Jury Hears Railroad Men.

Among the witnesses called into the grand jury room were six employés of the Père Marquette and Michigan Central railroads, who were questioned concerning the icing of refrigerator cars and the cost of shipping fruit from Michigan, with a view of learning whether any rebates had been allowed favored shippers.

E. Rothchild, head cattle buyer for Armour & Co., was one of the principal witnesses in the afternoon, and five employés from Swift & Co. were on the stand. Several fruit and vegetable growers from Michigan were on hand to give their testimony, but the jury did not have time to hear them.

Connors Seeks Early Trial.

It was learned by federal officials that Alfred Urion, general counsel for Armour & Co., is preparing to appear before some United States District judge with a petition demanding an immediate trial for T. J. Connors, general superintendent for Armour & Co., who was indicted on a charge of attempting to influence J. Edward Shields, a witness. Mr. Connors, it is said, will base his action on a constitutional provision that a citizen shall have a trial within a reasonable time.

As the matter now stands Connors will not be given a trial before the July term of court. If Attorney Urion should present his petition and it should be granted it would be necessary to summon a petit jury, recall Shields as the main witness, and present many of the alleged facts in open court, which Shields testified to in the grand jury room. The work of some of the secret service men necessarily would become known.

The jury probably will adjourn at noon today until Wednesday morning, on account of Tuesday's election.

NOW URGED TO FIGHT SMOKE.

Woman's Club Committee Makes Suggestion to the Neighborhood Improvement Associations.

After a successful campaign for cleaner streets and alleys, the improvement associations will direct their attention to the city's atmosphere and wage war on violators of the anti-smoke ordinance, if suggestions contained in a letter directed to the organizations by the Neighborhood Center committee of the Chicago Woman's club are carried out.

In a communication sent yesterday to the annual meeting of the Neighborhood Improvement League of Cook county by Mrs. Maud C. Hessler, chairman of the committee, that organization was urged to extend its work by engaging in the crusade against the smoke nuisance.

The improvement league at its annual meeting decided to continue with increasing vigor its crusade against the distribution of handbills.

The following were reelected officers for the coming year:

President—Edward C. Wentworth.
Vice president—Mrs. John O'Connor.
Treasurer—Mrs. Irving Washington.
Secretary—Mrs. Frank Asbury Johnson.

It was decided to be represented in the exhibition to be held by the municipal museum the latter part of this month.

Expert Sewing Machine Repairs.

Also sewing machine oil of absolute purity, and the best needles and parts for all machines at Singer stores. Look for the red S.

A COUGH IS IRONED OUT

No matter whether it is from a recent cold, a chronic cough, bronchitis or incipient consumption—all are cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has a soothing effect upon the mucous membrane, and at the same time it promotes digestion and the assimilation of food. It accomplishes this by reason of the manner of combination of the ingredients of this remedy, made from medicinal plants grown in this country, the one remedy which many years of experience proves is entirely free from detrimental effects. A blue-ribbon remedy, because made without alcohol or harmful drugs. It is made in a large laboratory, thoroughly equipped with every scientific appliance, at Buffalo, N. Y. Qualified chemists are in charge of the laboratory, with nearly a score of skilled physicians and surgeons employed to scrutinize, determine and prescribe these remedies and other means of cures as seem best suited to many thousands of cases of chronic diseases which come before them for treatment each year. It costs you nothing to write to Doctor Pierce—the head of this Institution and get an accurate medical opinion in your special case and wholly without charge. This preparation is of pleasant taste, agrees perfectly with rebellious and sensitive stomachs, and is extremely effective in restoring tone and vigor to the entire system. It cures gastric troubles of the stomach and at the same time the blood-vessels are given a stimulation which throws off a cold. One very good reason why it restores the health of run-down, pale and emaciated people is because it first throws out the poisons from the liver and kidneys. It then begins its reconstructive work in building up flesh and making good, rich, red blood.

"About seven years ago my health failed, and I tried different doctors but they could not help me," writes Reuben S. Kleppinger, Esq., of Lehighton, Pa. (Box 493). "I was still getting worse. Had a cough, pain in chest, night-sweats, was weak and nervous. I decided to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., and state my case. I received a prompt and careful reply which I still have in my possession. The malady was a complicated one, involving the nasal and other air-passages. There was a catarrhal condition extending from the head to the bronchia and lungs. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy was advised. I used about two dozen bottles of each, also some of Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and these remedies have done their work. Since that time I don't believe I have lost a day's work on account of sickness. Am well and have been able to eat anything ever since. Thanks seem but a slight return for all the good your medicine has done for me."

Mr. Roy A. Reed, of Casper, Wyoming, writes: "For eight years I had catarrh of the throat in the very worst form; could hardly speak above a whisper for two years. Tried nearly a dozen patent medicines without relief. I was so discouraged that I just about decided catarrh could not be cured with any medicine. My father, however, advised me to try Doctor Pierce's medicines before giving up. I followed his advice and commenced using the medicine on the twentieth of December. I was surprised to note the result of the first month's treatment. After using six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I was perfectly cured. It has been months since I took the last medicine, and I have not had the least return of my trouble. I have felt better during the past two months than for seven winters previous to this time."

Feel cranky?—Case of constipation. A man or woman who neglects constipation suffers from slow poisoning. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic.

SCHERZER ENJOINS CITY FROM LETTING CONTRACT.

Says Specifications for North Avenue Structure "Fraudulently" Exclude His Type—Bids Lowest for Years.

Commissioner of Public Works Blocki and City Engineer Ericson are accused in a petition for injunction signed by Albert Scherzer, president of the Scherzer Rolling Bridge company, of fraud in connection with the letting of a contract for the erection of the proposed North avenue bridge. Yesterday Judge Kavanagh granted the injunction restraining the city officials from letting any contract for the construction of the bridge without first giving the Scherzer company an opportunity to bid.

The petition shows that on March 18 Commissioner Blocki advertised for bids, according to plans on file at the department of public works. The specifications, according to the petition, were prepared by Mr. Ericson, and are based upon designs known as the Ericson-Trunnion bridge.

The bids for the bridge were opened in the morning. They indicate that the structure will cost 20 per cent less than any bridge built by the city in the last four years. The lowest bid for the superstructure was from Roemheld & Gallery, $111,983, which will make the total cost of the bridge $170,000.

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WAGE INCREASE BY STEEL TRUST.

Advance Announced by President Corey Means Expenditure of $9,000,000.

SEEK BIG BOND SHORTAGE.

New York Gas Investigation Shows $4,000,000 Dropped from Sale Proceeds.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, March 31.

The United States Steel corporation will tomorrow make formal announcement of the advance in the wages and salaries of its employés. President W. E. Corey said a few departments in which wages had been maintained at a high level would not be affected, but the advance would be fairly general in all plants of the corporation.

150,000 Men to Get Increase in Wages.

"I cannot go into the details before a formal announcement is made," said Mr. Corey. "Increase in wages, however, is warranted by the general outlook of our business."

It is understood that 150,000 employés will be benefited by tomorrow's action. It recently was estimated that the advance, if made, would amount to $9,000,000 a year, an average increase for each employé of about $5 a month.

Fifteen months ago a cut of about $20,000,000 was made in the corporation's wage and salary account. The number of employés was reduced at that time from 167,706 to 147,344. This was due to the depression of the iron and steel trade, which began in the summer of 1903 and continued until last fall.

Clinton B. Fisk, the editor, theatrical manager, and author, was taken from the Majestic theater tonight by detectives and brought as a patient to the psycopathic ward at Bellevue hospital.

The gas investigating committee in its sessions today discovered, first of all, a discrepancy in gas plant values which turned out to be no discrepancy at all, and then set out on a search for $4,000,000 which seemed to be dropped out of the proceeds of last year's sale of gas bonds.

Gas Committee Seeks $4,000,000 Bond Discrepancy.

Benjamin Whiteley, the assistant treasurer of the Consolidated Gas company, was on the stand this morning, and Chief Inquisitor Hughes forced him to admit there was an apparent discrepancy of $12,674,770.46 between the value of the property of the company used in producing gas, as carried on the balance sheets of the company, and the report made by it to the state tax commissioners last June. On the books the items entering into this account footed up to $231,-973,346.46. In the report to the tax commissioners, signed by Robert A. Carter, secretary, the total of the same items was only $27,298,576.50.

Hughes took up the disposition of the proceeds of the sale last year of $20,000,000 worth of convertible bonds of the company. Whiteley could remember only where $16,-000,000 in cash, so derived, had gone.

The collection of early English and French portraits and Barbizon and Dutch portraits belonging to David H. King Jr. was sold at auction tonight. The total for seventy paintings in the collection was $201,035.

An edition de luxe of a house party on wheels, personally conducted by James Henry Smith, is to start soon from New York, bound for Central America, with a roving commission to search for pleasure. Smith made through Mexico was taken to spy out the land and prepare the way for the special train which will carry the party.

J. H. Smith's House Party to Mexico Costly.

If the Vera Cruz and Pacific will haul the special train, the party will be taken by rail as far south as the Pan-American is built, and at Tonala a yacht will be in waiting to carry them south, probably to Panama. If difficulty is experienced in getting the heavy train over the Vera Cruz and Pacific, the yacht will be boarded at Vera Cruz.

The estimated trip will cost at least $40,-000 in gold. It will last nearly a month, and be taken by twenty of Smith's New York friends. The total expense of the railway house party probably will be nearer $50,000.

Patrolman Frank McLaughlin, who was convicted of manslaughter for killing John Patterson, a negro watchman, in May, 1903, was granted a new trial by Recorder Goff today.

Mrs. James J. Hill, wife of the president of the Great Northern railroad and the Northern Securities company, has contracted a severe cold at Jekyll island, Ga., and on the advice of her physicians will start for this city tomorrow. Mr. Hill was accompany his wife on a special car. A record breaking run will be attempted to this city. A clear track has been provided.

Mrs. James J. Hill Ill; Fast Run to North.

At Bolkenhayn, the city home of the Hill family, it was said tonight that Mrs. Hill has been ill several weeks. She will have the attention of two specialists and a staff of nurses on the trip north.

Kathryn Kidder, whose engagement to L. K. Anspacher, a Columbia college professor, was reported yesterday, and whose age was given as 45, has sent the following telegram from Trenton, N. J., where her company is playing: "The rumors of my engagement are entirely false. My interest is in L. K. Anspacher's new play. I shall feel professionally benefited if you will correct the misstatement as to my age. I am 35 years old, which can be verified by the records."

Kathryn Kidder Says She Is 35, Not 45, Years Old.

Although he had resided in this country five years, owned the house in which he lived here, and had taken out his first citizenship papers, Joseph Witous has been debarred from the country by the immigration authorities upon returning from a six months' visit to Europe. The medical officers at Ellis Island pronounced him insane.

Five Year Resident Debarred from United States.

Witous is well to do, and for a number of years was a teacher in a parochial school here. He was returning from Bohemia, where he had gone to settle up an estate.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt fell into the hands of the police for alleged violation of the speed laws today. In an automobile he led a bicycle policeman a chase for thirteen blocks in Madison avenue, and would have escaped arrest if his automobile had not stuck in the mud. He was released in $200 bail, which was given by a man riding with him.

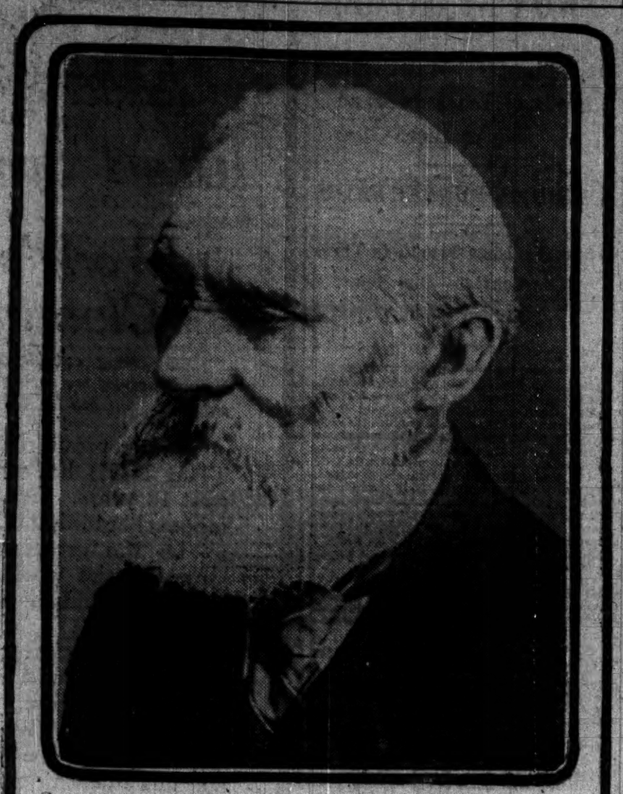
Alfred Vanderbilt Is Arrested for Speed Violations.

Gaulier Rosseau, under conviction for sending an infernal machine aboard the steamship Umbria, is believed to be insane, and sentence was deferred today. An examination will be made into his sanity. His sole theory is a contrivance designed to deter large nations from intimidating smaller ones.

Court Examines Sanity of Rosseau, Bomb Maker.

Siegel, Cooper & Co. give Blue Trading Stamps until April 15th to those desiring to fill books. Our own, the Siegel Merchandise Discount Stamps has a positive money value.

World's Greatest Scientist Critically Ill.



LORD KELVIN

Lord Kelvin, whose condition became worse yesterday, was 80 years old in June last. He was born in Ireland, but has been so long in Scotland he has come to be regarded as a Scotsman.

As William Thomson, professor of natural philosophy at Glasgow university, he already was a well known scientist, when in 1866 he invented the galvanometer, which, with its mirrors and magnets, made the Atlantic cable possible. For this and the siphon recorder, which made a permanent record of impulses received, he was promptly knighted by Queen Victoria. He was made a peer in 1892.

Lord Kelvin's inventions in electrical science are numbered by the hundreds, and the papers written by him, which have contributed greatly to the world's knowledge of heat and electricity, make another long list. Unlike most men of science he has become wealthy by his inventions. Among the best known of these are the magnetic compass, which has been of incalculable service to navigation, and the Kelvin deep sea lead, which is in almost universal use on ocean steamships. His measuring and testing instruments fill page after page of scientific catalogues. He has kept a firm of instrument makers in Glasgow busy for years making his new devices.

In the theoretic field Lord Kelvin was one of the founders—in 1852—of the doctrine of the indestructibility of energy, the corner stone of modern science. The present theory of atoms composing the universe is largely of his creation, and two years ago he created a sensation with an announcement of the results of his speculations in that line.

DREAD FEVER IN CHICAGO.

FIRST DEATH FROM CEREBRAL MENINGITIS REPORTED.

Lydia Engel, 8 Year Old Schoolgirl, Is Victim to Disease—Health Department Is Investigating Conditions Among Other Pupils—Dr. Heman Spalding Fears No Epidemic, but the City, He Says, Will Take Every Precaution.

Cerebro-spinal meningitis in its epidemic form, commonly called "spotted fever," which has been raging in New York and Philadelphia, and claiming victims daily, has made its appearance in Chicago. One death has been reported to the health department, and one case has been noted in the same vicinity which has the symptoms of the dread disease.

The death was that of Lydia Engel, 8 years old, who lived at 920 West Twenty-first street. She had attended the Froebel school, and her death caused alarm among the parents of children who also attend the school. Dr. W. J. Class, who has been detailed by the health department to investigate, is examining the pupils of various schools to discover whether there are symptoms of the infectious malady in other parts of the city. So far he has found no other cases, and little fear of an epidemic is felt by the department.

Physician Sees Little Danger.

"I do not think there is any danger of an epidemic in Chicago," said Dr. Heman Spalding yesterday. "Chicago has been fortunate in escaping serious results for eight years. Since 1898 we have had but forty-one cases of the epidemic variety, while New York has had 550 since the first of the year. However, we are taking every precaution, and in this we can be aided greatly by receiving information of every suspicious case."

More Deaths in New York.

New York, March 31.—[Special.]—While the first death from cerebral meningitis in Chicago has stirred the authorities of that city, the disease continues to spread in New York.

The health board's figures of the fatal cases for five days of the last week show there were 107 deaths from cerebral meningitis. This is an increase in mortality of twenty-two over the figures of the week before, which were taken for seven days.

If the record of deaths from meningitis continues the remainder of this week at the rate of the first five days the disease will have been responsible for 149 deaths during one week, or an increase of 64 deaths over the record of the previous week. The number of deaths in the last seven weeks were as follows: 27, 40, 48, 62, 78, 72, and 85.

Doctors Are Puzzled.

Physicians throughout the city still are completely puzzled by the disease and as yet have found no effectual method of combating it. It is likely steps will be taken to establish a hospital devoted to meningitis cases, although it is said that thus far there has been no infection at any hospitals that have meningitis patients.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Minute Man Statue Unveiled.—More than 400 children of the grammar grades of the Agassiz school, Diversey boulevard and Seminary avenue, participated in the exercises and witnessed the unveiling of the statue of "The Minute Man," presented to them by the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution in the grammar school building yesterday afternoon. The statue is a replica of the one by D. C. French which stands at the Concord bridge in Concord, Mass.

Is Better, but Still Silent.—Frank Ely Rogers was taken yesterday from the residence of the Rev. Dr. F. C. Priest to that of his aunt, Mrs. George G. Robinson, 157 South Oakley avenue. The returned runaway boy, whose health is improved, has said nothing regarding the whereabouts of his missing aunt, Florence Ely.

Deneen Visits Old Office.—Gov. Charles S. Deneen visited his old offices in the Criminal court building yesterday afternoon and shook hands with everybody from the two messenger boys up to State's Attorney John J. Healy and the judges who were sitting when Mr. Deneen called.

Fire Captain Appointed.—Lieut. Thomas J. Craig of the fire department was promoted to a captaincy yesterday by Fire Marshal Campion to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Capt. Peter Larson last week. He will be placed in command of engine company 76.

Inga Hanson Sentenced.—Sitting calmly in a chair and facing Judge Kersten, Miss Inga Hanson heard him deny a motion for a new trial and sentence her to the penitentiary. Her lawyers were given sixty days in which to file a bill of exceptions.

PICKETS ARE SENT TO JAIL

JUDGE KAVANAGH PUNISHES FOUR GARMENT WORKERS.

Court Finds They Forgot to Be Peaceful and Attacked Workers, So They Are Sentenced to Four Months in Cells—Fourteen Are Released—Five Other Strikers Are Fined in Justice Courts—Unions Pledged to Repay Benefit Fund.

Picketing in the garment workers' strike was held by Judge Kavanagh yesterday to be not of the "peaceful" kind and four of the strikers were sentenced to jail for four months. Fourteen other members of the union, who were cited for violating the injunction against illegal picketing, were released.

The men upon whom sentence was passed are William J. Dohney, Charles Anderson, John Haike, and Frank Sporka. Attorneys for the garment workers' organization said last night no efforts will be made to secure their release. They hope that public sympathy may be roused in support of the strikers.

"These men," said Judge Kavanagh in passing sentence, "have furnished their enemies—the enemies of labor unions generally—the strong argument that has been urged on the courts that when once picketing is allowed one may expect violation of the law and breaches of the peace."

Defends Peaceful Picketing.

In spite of many opposing decisions in the federal courts, Judge Kavanagh declared that he still believed in permitting picketing during strikes as a reasonable right of strikers. He classified the present cases of violation as exotic and said he believed the pickets were acting in disobedience of the orders of their officers.

The four men sentenced were found to have been connected with the strike disturbances on March 14 near the plant of M. Born & Co., 327 Franklin street. Witnesses testified they had seen the pickets attack employés of the firm who were on their way home from work.

Other Strikers Are Fined.

Five other strikers, one a clothing cutter named Max Feldman, and John Mathews, Frank Jure, John Foley, and James Walsh, four pickets for the Iron Bedmakers' union, were fined in justice courts. Feldman was fined $10 for disorderly conduct, while $25 was levied upon each of the others.

Remuneration to the extent of $10,000, if necessary, was pledged for a sympathetic strike of teamsters by the members of the clothing cutters' union. The strikers guaranteed to repay the sum in installments of $1 a week from each man after the settlement of the strike. Other unions in the special order branch of clothing workers are expected to increase the pledge to $35,000.

More labor troubles are threatened for the new postoffice. President Rau of the Associated Building Trades heard the refusal of contractors to interfere in the dispute between the steamfitters and elevator constructors which caused a strike of the former workmen on Thursday, and has called a conference to consider the calling out of all building trades next Monday.

ARMOUR SQUARE IS OPENED.

Neighborhood Center Built by South Park Board Formally Dedicated to the Public.

"Armour square," at Fifth avenue and Thirty-third street, with its baths, gymnasiums, reading rooms, and auditorium, established by the south park board and citizens, was opened last night. Three thousand people were present. There were recitations and music by pupils and residents of the neighborhood. Simon P. Gary, who made the address of the evening, urged that the park be used freely as the clubhouse of the district.

"You cannot keep a boy on a twenty-five foot lot," he said. "When I was a boy it took all the prairie to keep me satisfied, but here you have the gymnasium, where you can get the exercise I had running around on the prairie."

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Pink Eye Is Epidemic.
MURINE EYE REMEDY Cures It.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 12.]

HERMAN—Fred G. Services will be held at Sheldon's undertaking rooms, 259 W. Madison-st., Saturday at 2 p. m.; burial at Waldheim cemetery.

HITS PREACHERS IN OIL DEFENSE.

H. H. Rogers' Statement Has Bearing on Rockefeller's $100,000 Gift.

PASTORS' TALK 'QUEER'?

Dr. Washington Gladden in Reply Says Magnate's Statements Are Not Credible.

New York, March 31.—H. H. Rogers, vice president and director of the Standard Oil company, today made a statement as to the conduct of the Standard Oil company, which was evidently prompted by the criticism of the prudential committee of the American board of foreign missions for accepting a gift of $100,000 from John D. Rockefeller.

"Ministers Say Queer Things."

"Ministers say queer things," said Mr. Rogers. "Dr. Washington Gladden says that everybody knows that John D. Rockefeller has obtained his money dishonestly. With as much reason I could say that everybody knows that Dr. Gladden would not trust the ten commandments for ten days with the deacons of his church, because they would surely break some of them and bend the rest.

"Slavery in certain sections of the United States was legal until President Lincoln's emancipation proclamation. Rebates on railroads were just as legal until the passage of the interstate commerce commission act.

Quotes Finding of Commission.

"After an exhaustive examination by the industrial commission, authorized by congress June 18, 1898, in a review of evidence, the commission reported as follows:

"'It has been charged as a matter of general belief on the part of almost all the opponents of the Standard Oil company that these discriminations in various forms have been continually received, even up to date. On the other hand, these charges have been denied in toto and most emphatically by every representative of the Standard Oil company with reference to all cases excepting one, which they claim was a mistake, the amount of freight due being promptly paid on discovery of the error. The Standard Oil company not merely challenged the opponents to bring forth proof of any case but produced many letters from leading officials of railroads to show that the company had in no case received any favors or asked for them.'"

Gladden Replies to Rogers.

Columbus, O., March 31.—Dr. Washington Gladden tonight gave out a statement in reply to H. W. Rogers. He said if there was no law to punish a flagrant and outrageous robbery that made the robbery no less flagrant and outrageous. It was by this means that the enormous power of monopoly was created. He said the denial that rebates had been extorted since the interstate commerce law was passed was not credible. Dr. Gladden said some trust apologists maintained that Standard Oil money had been acquired legally. He thought if there was no question of legality at stake the government would not be looking into its practices.

Invite Protests as to Gift.

Boston, Mass., March 31.—The committee which heads the protest of Congregationalists against the action of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions in accepting a gift of $100,000 from John D. Rockefeller today issued a statement inviting all persons who wished to record themselves as in sympathy with the protest to send their names to the chairman of the committee, the Rev. Daniel Evans of Cambridge.

Church Paper Defends Rockefeller.

Baltimore, Md., March 31.—[Special.]—The organ of the Protestant Episcopal church of Maryland compares the Massachusetts Congregational ministers to the men who would resort to lynch law, and defends Rockefeller.

BELOIT INSTRUCTOR DROWNS WHEN BOAT IS CAPSIZED.

Montague White of College Faculty Meets Death in Rock River—Companion Saves Life by Swimming.

Beloit, Wis., March 31.—[Special.]—Montague White, aged 23, instructor in rhetoric and oratory at Beloit college, was drowned at noon today in Rock river, six miles north of this city. He and Roy Andrews of the junior class had been camping and were out in a canoe, which upset. At the mouth of Young's creek, which is swelled to a torrent by the flooded condition of the river, are two currents forming a whirlpool, and when the canoe was capsized White was dragged down. The body was found six hours later. Andrews was carried to the middle of the river, but swam out. White was to have married an eastern girl soon. He came here last fall. A brother is a professor in Hamilton college.

WILL FUND NEW VOICE DEBTS.

John G. Woolley, Head of Company Publishing Prohibition Party Organ, Gives Trust Deed.

For the purpose of funding the existing debt of the company publishing the New Voice, the organ of the prohibition party, John G. Woolley, president, and his wife have executed a trust deed to Samuel Dickie of Albion, Mich., and Edwin Burritt Smith, trustees, to secure a bond issue of $20,000. It is secured by the plant in Fifty-sixth street, west of Cornell avenue, and the Woolley residence in Cornell avenue, 230 feet north of Fifty-sixth street.

ANOTHER LEADER QUITS DOWIE.

Elder Partridge, Who Headed Australian Recruits, to Leave Zion City for California.

Owing to a doctrinal disagreement with John Alexander Dowie, Elder Partridge has disposed of his belongings in Zion city, and will settle with his family in California. The deacon led the party of more than sixty Australians who joined the community a year ago. It is said thirteen of them recently left for the coast, and forty more soon are going.

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has yet been found for cod liver oil. There are so-called extracts, wines and cordials of cod liver oil that are said to contain the active principles but not the oil itself. This is absurd on its face. You might as well extract the active principles of wheat and make bread with them. The best form of cod liver oil, that can be digested and assimilated most easily, is Scott's Emulsion.

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CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE.
Girl With the Auburn Hair. Sam Elton. Snyder & Buckley. Vernon. La Vine & Leonard. Brothers De Van. Stoddard & Wilson. The Kinodrome. 6—Nelson Family—6. Murphy-Nichols Co. Ford Sisters. Geo. W. Day. Williams & Melburn. Harry Brown. May Genesli. Martin & Martin.
Prices, 15—25—35—50c; Reserved, 75c.

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CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE.
Mr. Robert Hilliard & Co. Alida Castaigne. Phyllis Allen. A. O. Duncan. Lester & Moore. The Wilsons. Mason & Wallace. The Kinodrome. Binns, Binns & Binns. Foy & Clark. Tyce & Jermon. Allen & Delimain. Daley & Chase. Downey & Willard. Howard & Hall. Sisters Everett.
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Comiskey's Team Meets Its First Defeat at the Hands of Kansas City.

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Blue Pitchers Prove Almost Intangible—Final Score of the Game Is 2 to 0.

Kansas City, Mo., March 31.—[Special.]—All over Kansas City the fans are rejoicing tonight. After suffering three defeats at the hands of the St. Louis cardinals, the blues finally have broken into the winning column. Not only did they succeed in graduating from the maiden class, but they shut out Comiskey's White Sox today. The score was 2 to 0.

The White Sox put up a brilliant game in the field, but inability to slam the twisters served up by Morgan and Durham tells the story of their defeat. Both youngsters were in excellent form. Morgan occupied the box for six innings and one hit was all that was secured off his puzzlers. In fact, only two members of the Comiskey band reached first base in safety.

Morgan had perfect control, not a white-legged warrior being given free transportation. Durham, Morgan's successor, kept up the good work. He issued one pass and was touched up for one hit.

Smith started out for the White Sox and did excellent work. He was steady and, during the six innings he officiated, he fanned six men. He used a slow ball that was particularly effective. One run was secured during his stay in the box, but with an even break in the luck he would have made it a shutout. Owen followed Smith and his work also was first class. He allowed only three hits and one run.

Nick Altrock handled the initial sack in the absence of Callahan, who is suffering from a cold, and did as well as could be expected. He was not charged with an error, but missed several chances which would have been easy for a man accustomed to that position.

Altrock is down to pitch today, and Manager Jones says that he will be sent the full route unless he is slaughtered. Score:

Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E	Kan. City.	R	H	P	A	E
Holmes, lf	0	0	0	0	0	Rickert, rf	0	1	2	0	0
Jones, cf	0	0	0	0	0	Nance, cf	0	1	2	0	0
Green, rf	0	0	0	2	1	Castro, lb	0	0	14	0	0
Davis, ss	0	1	2	3	0	Bonner, 2b	0	1	2	3	0
Altrock, lb	0	0	0	8	0	Donahue, 3b	0	2	2	1	
Tanne'l, 3b	0	1	3	0	1	Sullivan, ss	0	3	1	4	1
Dundon, 2b	0	0	0	3	0	Nickell, p	0	1	2	0	0
W.Sullivan, c	0	1	7	3	0	Stoner, c	0	0	2	2	0
Smith, p	0	0	0	1	0	Morgan, p	0	0	0	3	0
Owen, p	0	0	0	2	0	Durham, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	2	27	14	2	Totals	2	10	27	21	1

Kansas City	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0—2
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two base hits—Nance, W. Sullivan. Sacrifice hits—Nance, Smith. Stolen bases—Rickert. Bases on balls—Off Durham, 1; off Smith, 1; off Owen, 2. Struck out—By Durham, 2; by Smith, 6; by Owen, 1. Double play—Morgan-Bonner-Castro; W. Sullivan-Davis. Wild pitch—Durham. Hit by pitched ball—By Morgan 2; by Smith. Time—1:25. Umpire—Collins. Attendance—450.

SOX "SUBS" BEAT COLLEGIANS.

Combination Tourists Stop Off at Lincoln and Win from University of Nebraska, 8 to 4.

Omaha, Neb., March 31.—[Special.]—The White Sox tourists won new laurels today by stopping off at Lincoln and defeating the University of Nebraska varsity nine in a fairly exciting game by a score of 8 to 4.

Despite the victory and the satisfactory financial returns the function yielded an unpleasant surprise for the White Sox. Ed Walsh literally was knocked out of the slab by the collegians, who bunched three singles and a clean home run off his pitching in the sixth inning, and there's no telling what would have happened had not Vice Manager Donohue made a switch. Morrison of Des Moines was called in from right field and, starting in with a "cold" arm, succeeded in stopping Nebraska's rally.

Aside from a spasm or two of ragged infielding, the general play of the Chicago-Milwaukee-Des Moines combination proved satisfactory. The batting of Donohue, McFarland, Bateman, and Walsh was the feature.

The tourists went direct from the ball park to the railway station and succeeded in catching the 6 o'clock train for this city, where they are scheduled to play tomorrow and Sunday. Today's score:

Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E	Nebraska.	R	H	P	A	E
Jacobs, lb	1	1	11	0	0	Cook, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Isbell, 2b	0	1	0	3	1	Reddick, ss	0	1	1	1	1
McFar'd, c	1	2	6	2	0	Fenlon, lf	0	1	2	0	0
Bateman, ss	2	2	1	2	0	Bender, c	1	2	6	3	0
Clark, 3b	0	1	2	1	0	Caddies, 3b	1	1	1	2	1
Walsh p & rf	0	2	1	1	0	Morse, p	1	2	1	4	0
Donohue, p	0	0	0	1	0	Kline, 2b	0	1	2	2	1
Morrison, rf	0	0	2	2	0	Barta, lb	0	3	12	1	0
McKay, cf	3	1	1	0	0	Schmidt, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	12	27	12	3	Totals	4	11	27	13	2

Chicago	0	0	2	0	2	0	3	0	1—8
Nebraska	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0—4

Two base hits—Walsh, Morse. Three base hits—Walsh, Bateman. Home run—Bender. Sacrifice hits—Walsh, Isbell. Struck out—By Walsh, 4; by Morrison, 2; by Morse, 5. Bases on balls—Off Morse, 3. Wild pitch—Morse. Hit by pitcher—By Morse, 1. Time—1:35. Umpire—Pfeate. Attendance—600.

BAN JOHNSON GOES TO ST. LOUIS

Will Attend Opening Games Between American and National League Teams of That City.

President Johnson of the American league left last night for St. Louis to attend the opening of the baseball season there today, the event being the first of the spring series of games between the American and National league teams of that city. Umpires Jack Sheridan and "Hank" O'Day, who have been chosen to handle the series, also left for the Mound city yesterday.

The annual series between the browns and cardinals has proved a big attraction in St. Louis, giving both clubs a good financial start, but it is among the possibilities that a movement may be started in opposition to these spring exhibitions, compelling clubs to defer interleague series until the fall. President Harr of the local National league club voiced his sentiments yesterday in opposition to spring games as follows:

"I believe interleague games are all right in their place, but there are two sides to the question. My club is scheduled to open the championship season in St. Louis on April 14, but by that time baseball will be an old story to St. Louis people, and we lose all the advantage of the opening. Not only that, but if the Chicago Nationals should happen to meet defeat through lack of condition—the series is only a test of condition any way—they would lose prestige, and Chicago would share in the loss on the opening games. Advocates of spring games ask me why I don't play too, and get even; but the weather conditions will not permit spring exhibition games in Chicago with such an early schedule."

President Johnson received word yesterday from Chairman Hermann of the national commission that final notice had been sent to the Kansas City club of the American association to the effect that if it persisted in playing Catcher Beville, contrary to the decision of the commission which awarded the player to Milwaukee, all protection of the national agreement would be withdrawn from Kansas City.

This virtually declares that the Missouri club is outlaw if it does not abide by the commission's ruling, and George Tebeau, who really controls the club, will have an opportunity at first hand to decide whether or not he wants war with the major leagues. If he orders Manager Irwin to play Beville after receipt of Hermann's ultimatum, the next step will be a notice to all national agreement clubs prohibiting them from playing against Kansas City. As Comiskey's regulars have games scheduled with the blues today and tomorrow, and as the Chicago Nationals are due to play Tebeau's Missouri team from April 8 to 12, what action the minor league dictator will decide to take is particularly interesting to Chicagoans.

Another Double Header for Giants.

Nashville, Tenn., March 31.—[Special.]—The Giants won another double header here today, defeating Nashville in one game and Cornell in the other. Scores:

New York	3	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	0—8	13	5
Nashville	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0—4	10	4

Batteries—Ames, Elliott, and Bowerman; Adams, Prickle, and Russell.

SECOND GAME.

New York	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	2	*—7	11	0
Cornell	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2	8	4

Batteries—McGinnity, Matthewson, and Marshall; Umstead and Walsh.

Purple Plays First Game Today.

Northwestern university is scheduled to play its first baseball game this afternoon, against the military academy nine at Highland Park. At the same time Northwestern academy will play the Evanston high school boys on Sheppard field. The university nine will play all its baseball games at Ravina park.

Illinois to Play League Team.

Urbana, Ill., March 31.—[Special.]—The series of practice baseball games between the University of Illinois and the Minneapolis league baseball team will begin on Illinois field tomorrow afternoon.

NO WORK FOR THE COLTS.

COLD WEATHER CLINGS TO SELEE'S MEN IN MORMON TOWN.

Risk of Chilling Players by Long Run for Exercise Is Avoided by Manager and Day Is Given to Resting—The Chance for Today's Game Is Fair if Dopester Guesses Correctly—Zeepos Safe in Denver—Players Arrange a Theater Party.

Salt Lake, Utah, March 31.—[Special.]—There was no work for the Chicago National league here today. Manager Selee decided that as long as the men could not get out for practice it would be better to take a day of rest rather than run the risk of letting the men take cold by giving them a long run in uniform.

Men were working on the baseball grounds all day and the field will be in shape for play tomorrow if the weather is good. If it is not the game will be called off, but by Sunday, with the climate promised by the weather doper, a game is certain.

Manager Selee today received a telegram from Treasurer Williams saying that the Zeepos had arrived at Denver safely and that the weather was fine, with no trace of snow.

A number of the players made a tour of the city this morning. They inspected the Mormon tabernacle, the outside of the temple, and other places of interest. Tonight the Chicagoans arranged another theater party. Casey has not yet recovered from the one given in his honor last night, but he was prevailed upon to take another chance.

Poolrooms are running here and a number of the players tried to guess what the ponies would do today. All the bookmakers have their bank rolls intact, however.

"Zeepos" Play Short Game.

Denver, Colo., March 31.—[Special.]—After a tiresome trip from Los Angeles the Zeepo squad of the Chicago Nationals arrived here this afternoon and immediately went to Broadway park to limber up. Bill Everett prevailed upon Vice Captain McCarthy to play a practice game with the Grizzlies and in the four innings played before rain began to fall the Chicagoans defeated the Grizzlies by a score of 7 to 2. Tomorrow a regular game is scheduled. Wicker will pitch for Chicago.

CARDINALS HOME FROM TRIP.

Beckley and Shay Are Holding Out—Spring Series with the Browns Begins Today.

St. Louis, Mo., March 31.—[Special.]—Manager Nichols and his cardinals arrived home today from their training trip. The squad numbered eighteen players. The men look in good condition, and Nichols is well pleased with their work.

Beckley and Shay are the only absentees. Nichols is confident the former will report early next month, but is not sanguine of bringing his recalcitrant shortstop into line.

"I think we will defeat the browns all right in the spring series," he said. "I was a little uneasy about the hitting of the team, but they clouted the ball good and hard last week, and I think we will connect with the brown pitchers' curves often enough to bag four of the games."

The browns are also back from their southern trip, in fine fettle, and the series of local games will be inaugurated tomorrow at American League park.

Fairweather to Coach at St. Louis.

Urbana, Ill., March 31.—[Special.]—Charles A. Fairweather of the University of Illinois, who captained the football eleven last fall, has been engaged as coach of the track team of Washington university at St. Louis. He also will probably be selected as football coach for that institution.

Interest in Handball Tourney.

The entry list of the city handball championship tournament, to be held in the Central Y. M. C. A. courts on April 10, is filling fast, and with such men as Sullivan and Farrell of the C. A. A. and Schuettler and Baker of the Y. M. C. A. on the list, the event promises great interest to the followers of the game.

Indoor Ball Game Tonight.

The First cavalry indoor ball team will play the Standards of Aurora tonight at the Cavalry armory, 627 North Clark street.

Miller to Coach Earlham Eleven.

Richmond, Ind., March 31.—[Special.]—"Long John" Miller, the former Purdue university football player, has been secured to coach the Earlham college team.

SURPRISES AT OAKLAND TRACK.

Morita Beats Double Six, an Odds-On Favorite; Prince Brutus Wins from a Fast Field.

San Francisco, Cal., March 31.—[Special.]—The card furnished two big surprises at Oakland this afternoon. The 3 year old filly Morita beat Double Six, the odds on favorite, in the first event. It was Double Six's first appearance this season, but after chasing out the Royal Rogue he was unable to stall off Morita at the finish. Prince Brutus, which has shown little form for a long while, created a decided sensation by beating a fast field of sprinters in the six furlong handicap.

First race, ½ mile—Morita, 103 pounds [Taylor], 10 to 1, won; Royal Rogue, 4 to 5, second; Royal Rogue, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¾.

Second race, 11-16 mile—Best Man, 132 pounds [Travers], 4 to 5, won; Edinborough, 6 to 1, second; Redan, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:08¾.

Third race, 1 mile—Cinabar, 96 pounds [Fountain], 3 to 1, won; Expedient, 7 to 2, second; Barney Dreyfus, 6 to 1, third. Time, 2:00¾.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Hugh McGowen, 107 pounds [Travers], 12 to 1, won; Sincerity Bells, 4 to 1, second; Esherin, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:47¾.

Fifth race, 11-16 mile—Gold Enamel, 110 pounds [McBride], 4 to 1, won; Ethel Barrymore, 20 to 1, second; Smithy Kane, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:06¾.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Prince Brutus, 96 pounds [Fountain], 8 to 1, won; Cigarlighter, 5 to 2, second; San Nicholas, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:13¾.

ONE FAVORITE HOME IN FRONT.

Bertha E. Is the Only Choice to Reward Backers at the City Park Track.

New Orleans, La., March 31.—At City park today only one of the six favorites won, Bertha E., which took the first race, being the only winning choice. Summaries:

First race, 9-16 mile—Bertha E., 102 pounds [J. Kelly], 17 to 10, won; Tichimingo, 7 to 2, second; Grove Center, 30 to 1, third. Time, :55 3-5.

Second race, ¾ mile—Recreo, 102 pounds [Foy], 4 to 1, won; Bryan, 9 to 5, second; Green Gown, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:29 1-5.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Nevada, 95 pounds [B. Miller], 4 to 1, won; Show Girl, 8 to 1, second; Pronta, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:00.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Harding, 105 pounds [McLaughlin], 6 to 1, won; Starkey, 9 to 10, second; A-Convict, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 1-5.

Fifth race, 1 3-16 miles—Little Giant, 111 pounds [Salling], 13 to 1, won; Rosalind, 7 to 2, second; Pathos, 25 to 1, third. Time, 2:01 1-5.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Lord Hermence, 108 pounds [E. Morrison], 7 to 5, won; Ecemie, 9 to 5, second; Ada N., 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42.

RACE RESULTS AT LOS ANGELES.

First race, 1 mile—Funnyside, 110 pounds [T. Sullivan], 7 to 2, won; St. Wilda, 5 to 1, second; May Holladay, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:43¾.

Second race, 9-16 mile—Sandstorm, 99 pounds [Moriarity], even, won; Showbound, 4 to 1, second; Czarina, 10 to 1, third. Time, :55¾.

Third race, ¾ mile—Huachuca, 105 pounds [Helgerson], 7 to 2, won; Rodolfo, 8 to 5, second; Tendercrest, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:16.

Fourth race, 13-16 mile—Azelina, 100 pounds [Crosthwaite], 4 to 5, won; Atlantico, 5 to 1, second; Skeptic, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:22.

Fifth race, Brooks' course—Water Cure, 104 pounds [Dugan], even, won; Patsy Brown, 6 to 1, second; Invictus, 5 to 1, third. Time, :26¾.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—El Chihuahua, 110 pounds [Helgerson], 4 to 1, won; Sportsman, 7 to 1, second; King Thorpe, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:28.

King Edward's Horse Loses.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—Kirkland won the Grand National steeplechase today. Napper Tandy was second and Buckaway II. was third. Twenty-seven horses started. The result was an upset. King Edward's new purchase, Moifa, was generally regarded as an almost certain winner, but his jockey this morning was kicked and was unable to ride, possibly accounting for the defeat of the favorite. The king was present with a large party to see the race. Mr. Gollan's Seahorse II., recently purchased by an American sportsman, "Mr. Cotton," ran, but was not placed. The supporters of Moifa were only flattered for a short distance and the horse ultimately fell at Valentine's brook.

Not a Corrigan Track.

New Orleans, La., March 31.—Edward Corrigan said today: "I know nothing about the Chesterton track. I never saw any of the Indiana tracks except as I passed by them on trains. There won't be racing enough in Indiana to get fat on this year."

Gans May Fight Lewis.

Baltimore, Md., March 31.—[Special.]—Al Herford has posted a forfeit for a fight in this city between Joe Gans and Willie Lewis of New York.

Sporting Notes.

Fey defeated Brush, 100 to 62, in Foley's pool tournament last night.

Riley and White (50) defeated Fisher and Butler (46) by 50 to 28 in Mussey's three cushion team tournament last night.

"Buddy" Ryan and Johnny Ruse, the local fighters, who had been boxing at Philadelphia, returned to Chicago yesterday.

John Rooney and Jim Parr, it has been announced, will wrestle at the Chicago Athletic association's clubhouse on April 8.

FEATURE EVENT WON BY AGILE.

Capt. Brown's Horse Captures the Business Men's Club at Memphis.

JOHN SMULSKI IS SECOND.

Winner Is at Odds On, but Is Well Played—Race a Public Trial for the Derby.

Memphis, Tenn., March 31.—[Special.]—Agile, Capt. Sam Brown's reliance for Derby honors, and the one most counted on to take the measure of Ram's Horn, if the Montgomery handicap winner is to be beaten in the big 3 year old event on Monday, signalized his first appearance as a 3 year old this afternoon by winning the Business Men's club in most impressive fashion, thereby putting a damper on the Derby aspirations of Charles Ellison, John W. Schorr, and Barney Schreiber.

The race, which was at one mile and a sixteenth, was evidently designed to afford a public trial for the Derby, but the fact that it was for nonwinners this year in other than selling races barred Ram's Horn from starting in it. It called out, however, in addition to Agile, three of the most prominent candidates for the race, John Smulski, Schorr's much vaunted colt, Jack Lory, and Schreiber's Ed. Sheridan.

Agile a Big Favorite.

Agile, on the strength of his work, was voted a certainty, and 1 to 2, first posted against him, was so quickly grabbed up that Trainer Tucker had to take 2 to 5 for the major part of a big commission, which he sent into the ring on his charge. It was a case, however, of any price a good one, for Agile simply toyed with his field. He went to the front when Martin was ready and made the pace to suit himself and won as he pleased from John Smulski. The latter always held safe Jack Lory, which was expected to give the winner the most trouble.

After breezing home in 1:49, the first mile in 1:42, Agile was worked out a mile and one furlong, the Derby route, in 1:55¾, and pulled up at the end of the mile and a quarter in 2:12⅘. The race really was a good one and impressed good judges as being the best performance of the meeting, as Agile covered the mile in half a second better time than Ram's Horn (1:42), worked out to a mile and a furlong in 1:55¾, and was pulled up at a mile and one-quarter in 2:12⅘. Agile's good race evidently started Capt. Jim Williams to thinking, as he announced after the race that Ram's Horn had grabbed himself in the Montgomery handicap, and that the colt's leg had filled up, and that it was uncertain whether or not he would start.

Ram's Horn Not Badly Hurt.

A veterinary, who examined the son of Bute, however, stated that while the Montgomery handicap winner had injured himself, the injury was not great enough to keep him away from the races, or prevent him running in his best form. Considering that the Tennessee Derby will be run on Monday, Williams' action will be watched with interest.

Jack Lory was one that was expected to be closest to Agile at the end today, but John Smulski had it on Schorr's colt all the way and beat him by a length and a half for the place. Ed Sheridan, the other starter, never was a contender. If Ram's Horn is not a starter in the Derby race it should be a gift to Agile.

Five started in the second race, and M. H. Tichenor's Watercress colt was returned the winner. Miss Inez was expected to be the best, but Waterside raced her into submission and won by half a length from Otto Stifel, with Miss Inez third.

Jockey Henry was badly cut about the arm while scuffling in the jockeys' room before the races, and had to have his arm sewed up and to be excused from taking a couple of mounts for which he had contracted. Jockey Dominick arrived this morning and reported to Sam Hildreth.

Memphis Summaries March 31.

First race, 9-16 mile—The Saracen, 108 pounds [J. Mentry], 8 to 5, won; Lucher, 110 [W. Fischer], 3 to 2, second; Hand Bag, 101 [Schilling], 15 to 1, third. Time, :56⅘. Monita, Japanese Maid, Oasis, Blue Pirate, Sheen, and Plasticker ran.

Second race, ¾ mile—Waterside, 109 pounds [Buchanan], 3 to 1, won; Otto Stifel, 120 [Henry], 2 to 1, second; Miss Inez, 104 [Hildebrand], 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:14¾. Early Boy and Blyness ran.

Third race, 1¼ miles—Aurumaster, 107 pounds [Shaver], 9 to 2, won; Evelyn Kinsey, 6 to 2, second; Brooklyn, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:57. Gilleten, Tete Noir, and Chipple Thorpe ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Belden, 96 pounds [Baird], 3 to 1, won; Veribest, 97 [J. Johnson], 7 to 5, second; Away, 87 [Schaller], 30 to 1, third. Time, :36 3-5. Dr. Hellsworth, Gentian, Lady Chiswick, and Little Rose ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Woodshade, 95 pounds [Baird], 7 to 5, won; Fairbury, 106 [Fuller], 40 to 1, second; Wild Irishman, 106 [Shaw], 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:36. Boundbrook, Paul Clifford, Poseur, and Allinda ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Port Arthur, 87 pounds [Hoffman], 4 to 1, won; Sir Ralph, 89 [Baird], 5 to 1, second; Hagamans, 94 [Crimmins], 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:43 1-5. Ikki, Dance Music, and Listener ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, 13-16 mile, selling—Setauket, 108 pounds; Burning Glass, 107; Blue Miracle, 100; Love Note, 98; High Life, 84.

Second race, 9-16 mile—Consistent, St. Estephe, Merry Belle, Moonshine, Henry Waring, Ross Croix, 104.

Third race, ¾ mile—Monte Carlo, 118 pounds; Rose Ben, 113; Buttons, 115; Scarecrow, 93; Santa Catalina, 91.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Mineral Boy, Badger, 107 pounds; Step Away, 105; Probe, Pete Dailey, 100; Oleroso, Kasil, Northville, Fritzi Scheff, 97; Garment, Salt and Pepper, 95.

Fifth race, Spring Hunters' steeplechase, about 2¼ miles—Emlerant, 156 pounds; Twilight, 153; Plous, 149; Otho Vaugh, 142; Game Cock, 135; Hylas, 127; Acuin, 144.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Burning Glass, 107 pounds; [illegible] m, 103; Adel Trebla, Liberia, 101; Winchi[illegible]d, 100; Gold Dome, 100; For Luck, 96; Flinders, Halbert, 85.

FAVORITES LOSE AT BENNINGS.

Woodshade, Ridden by Baird, Is Only Choice to Finish in Front at Washington Track.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—The favorites had an off day at Bennings today. With the exception of Woodshade in the fifth race, which was made the favorite at post time, they failed to make a winning. With Baird up, Woodshade, by a fine spurt, passed Wild Irishman, which had made the running into the stretch, and won easily.

In the preceding race Belden, with the same rider up, won handily from Veribest, the heavily backed favorite. The handicap for 2 year olds went to Right and True, which led all the way to the wire.

A feature of the day was the running of Tiptoe, which easily outclassed T. S. Martin in the second event. Summaries:

First race, handicap, ¾ mile—Right and True, 113 pounds [Crimmins], 4 to 1, won; Rockbinds, 103 [Baird], 3 to 1, second; Arabo, 121 [Odom], 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:02 1-5. Amber Jack ran.

Second race, 9-16 mile—Tiptoe, 106 pounds [Shaw], 9 to 5, won; T. S. Martin, 102 [Baird], 7 to 10, second; Tickle, 102 [Romanelli], 11 to 2, third. Time, :56 3-5.

Third race, 13-16 mile—Bob Murphy, 105 pounds [J. Johnson], 5 to 1, won; Tootsey Mack, 105 [Baird], 5 to 1, second; Tot San, 106 [D. O'Connor], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:23 1-5. Phelps, Whorler, and Ninna Squaw ran.

Fourth race, 9-16 mile—Belden, 96 pounds [Baird], 3 to 1, won; Veribest, 97 [J. Johnson], 7 to 5, second; Away, 87 [Schaller], 30 to 1, third. Time, :56 3-5. Dr. Hellsworth, Gentian, Lady Chiswick, and Little Rose ran.

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Fourth race, 1 mile—Mineral Boy, Badger, 107 pounds; Step Away, 105; Probe, Pete Dailey, 100; Oleroso, Kasil, Northville, Fritzi Scheff, 97; Garment, Salt and Pepper, 95.

Fifth race, Spring Hunters' steeplechase, about 2¼ miles—Emlerant, 156 pounds; Twilight, 153; Plous, 149; Otho Vaugh, 142; Game Cock, 135; Hylas, 127; Acuin, 144.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Burning Glass, 107 pounds; [illegible] m, 103; Adel Trebla, Liberia, 101; Winchi[illegible]d, 100; Gold Dome, 100; For Luck, 96; Flinders, Halbert, 85.

GIRLS PLAY THREE GAMES

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE IN BASKETBALL LEAGUE FINISHED.

Oak Park Defeats Austin by Score of 38 to 5 and Gains Clear Title to the First Place in the Western Section—Calumet Beats Wendell Phillips, While Hyde Park Wins from South Chicago, Causing a Tie for the Lead in the Southern Division.

The last games of the preliminary schedule in the High School Girls' Basketball league were played yesterday. Oak Park winning a clear title to first place in the western section and Hyde Park and Calumet tying for the first place in the southern section. Oak Park defeated the Austin five, Calumet won from Wendell Phillips, and Hyde Park beat South Chicago. The Englewood-Lake game, which was scheduled to be played in the Englewood gymnasium, was forfeited to the former team.

The Calumet girls had an easy time in disposing of the Wendell Phillips five, and after the first few minutes of play the result was never in doubt, the count at the end being 50 to 2.

Score on Free Throws.

Wendell Phillips was unable to toss baskets and the two points gained were made on free throws, while Calumet pitched field goals almost at will. The score at the end of the first half was 24 to 1. Lineup:

Calumet [50].		Wendell Phillips [2].
Badenoch	Right forward	Corbett
Draper	Left forward	Greenebaum
Kyle	Center	Lewis
Pickering	Right guard	Radzinski
Gregory	Left guard	Newbury

Baskets—Badenoch [3], Draper [3], Kyle [18]. Free throws—Corbett [2], Badenoch [2]. Referee—Burlingame. Umpire—Miss Wayman.

Hyde Park Is Winner.

The Hyde Park-South Chicago game, played in the former's gymnasium, was won by Hyde Park by a score of 24 to 10. The home team showed better team work throughout and won a clean cut victory. Lineup:

Hyde Park [24].		South Chicago [10].
Hart	right forward	Zacker
Ronberg	left forward	Kendall
Hall	center	Rowan
Evans	right guard	Frazier
McCracken	left guard	Doe

Oak Park won the only game played in the western section of the league, defeating Austin by a score of 38 to 5 in Kenilworth hall. The game, although one-sided, was fast throughout.

Wheaton Five Home Tomorrow.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 31.—[Special.]—The Wheaton basketball team will get back in Chicago Sunday morning after a 4,250 mile trip through the west. The team won every game, defeating Brigham Young university, Provo, Utah; L. D. S. U., Salt Lake, twice; Denver Y. M. C. A., and Cheyenne Business college.

LOW SCORES IN BOWLING PLAY.

Bensinger Tournament Still Going On—Krajle Averages 219 1-3 in the Manhattan League.

Low totals came in the Bensinger bowling tournament last night, Ed Northam being beat with 637, which included four railroads. His total lands him in sixth place. H. J. Clarke, the Rex bowler, was the only other man to get past the 600 mark. In the doubles Ed Wass and George Ludwig were highest with 1,066.

A new three game average was set in the Manhattan league when Krajec averaged 219 1-3 for the Fouceks. In the Union the Togos rolled 1,020. Scores:

INDIVIDUALS.

Northam	209	205	223—637
Clarke	167	196	206—569
Cool	199	153	229—581
Pasdeloup	193	170	199—562
B. Wass	190	192	161—543
Marienthal	210	174	156—540
Jacobsen	188	177	173—538
Henzel	179	190	165—527
Hartman	202	151	157—510
McAnany	168	159	176—503
Mulholland	178	156	154—488
Rundgren	177	187	115—479
Voorhies	135	134	181—450

TWO-MEN TEAMS.

E. Wass	160	202	204
S. Ludwig	161	142	183—1,066
Marienthal	191	179	210
L. Ludwig	151	161	162—1,057
C. Hengst	158	173	158
Jacobsen	191	164	245—1,042
A. Brammann	169	186	188
H. Brammann	173	146	156—1,022
Northam	174	181	190
Pasdeloup	160	139	166—1,015
McAnany	110	199	172
Voorhees	174	183	172—1,010
Rundgren	146	159	212
Morgan	134	161	188—1,000

MANHATTAN LEAGUE.

Fouceks.	1.	2.	3.	Hollenders.	1.	2.	3.
Kaad	214	210	197	Horvorka	200	170	137
Silhanek	177	192	221	Albrecht	160	163	158
E. Herda	161	133	198	Hurt	172	201	201
Pomacal	154	210	171	Rosol	193	146	155
Krajec	254	229	175	A. Herda	160	172	158
Totals	960	994	956	Totals	887	852	803

UNION.

Togos.	1.	2.	3.	Smiths.	1.	2.	3.
Leverenz	191	217	203	R. Bender	171	186	207
T. Rohn	179	179	199	Gunderson	143	212	116
A. Rohn	156	213	170	G. Bender	167	158	155
Volts	220	186	178	Aschlem	195	156	173
Altmeir	188	226	171	Hruby	173	163	153
Totals	947	1020	921	Totals	853	859	804

JEFFERSON.

Binns' C.	806	866	863	Nectars	870	848	902
Wolff's S.	894	906	840	Le Gros	843	989	869

PHOENIX.

Gillams	863	818	859	Schillers	877	832	966
Levys	973	954	891	Drexels	Forfeited		

WEST END.

Senators	963	804	881	Crawfords	913	899	870

SOUTHWEST.

Garlands	838	910	949	Ruehis	819	954	987

GREENLIGHT.

Monarchs	901	788	856	Spartans	887	778	801

LAKE VIEW.

Unos	804	876	927	Primas	795	895	959

MADISON.

Panamas	875	976	816	Gard. Citys.	810	888	884

METROPOLITAN.

Magnets	877	883	854	Schuberts	832	906	867

COAL TRADE.

Hedstrom	795	768	787	Peabodys	754	806	801

SOUTH WATER STREET.

Garibaldis	853	882	852	T. O'Herns.	826	777	777

VERMONT.

Wales	725	889	835	Wagners	850	806	745

BUSINESS MEN'S.

Tallors	648	599	602	Furnitures	657	645	605

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Modern W.	473	515	517	Gunnings	424	438	444

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Bowlers R.	861

RELIGIOUS PAPER HITS AT SPEAKER

Calls Shurtleff an Agent of the Liquor Dealers in His Home Town, Marengo.

LOCAL OPTION UP SOON.

Gas Companies, It Is Said, Will Not Fight Rate Legislation in the House.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., March 31.—[Special.]—Local option advocates today endeavored to tighten up the screws on the legislature a little, and circulated in the house a mild attack on Speaker Shurtleff. Each representative was furnished with religious periodicals and blue penciled documents in which their attention was called to the possible fate awaiting every enemy of the local option bill in his own district when he returned home.

The slur at Shurtleff was contained in a religious paper, being blue penciled. In this it was stated that continued activity would pass the bill through the house, "in spite of the fact that Speaker Shurtleff is an agent of liquor dealers in his native town of Marengo."

Shurtleff Disturbed by Attack.

Some members were afraid Shurtleff might not see the reference to himself and sent up a copy to his desk by a page. From the expression on the speaker's face it was judged he did not appreciate it. Members of the house who have seen the speaker's fair course towards the bill and its advocates resent what they term a "gratuitous slur" on him.

Representative Castle, chairman of the judiciary committee, which is considering the bill, sent out notices today to each of the forty-two members of the committee informing them the measure would be acted on next Wednesday and asking them to be present.

As a result of the criticism to which the committee and members of the legislature have been subjected, some of the committeemen will insist that final action on the bill be taken in secret session. They declare that no matter what action they take, further criticism will follow.

Gas Companies Will Submit.

Gas legislation, according to reports in Springfield now, is not to be opposed by gas companies in Chicago if it takes the form included in the new articles for the cities and villages act, which is one of the charter bills. It is said by those who assert gas companies will pursue a neutral course that they will be satisfied with the bill giving the city council the right to regulate prices, subject to supervision of the courts, providing the rate once set shall continue unchanged for a certain period of years. This period some would fix at two years and others as long as ten.

Representative Church will call a meeting, probably for next Wednesday, when a hearing will be given to the gas companies desiring it, and afterward, it is announced, an enabling bill will be recommended out. This may be one of McGoorty's bills with amendments, or may be a committee measure.

The house did not have a quorum this morning, but advanced a number of bills to which no objections were made. In the case of two delays had to be allowed because democratic members hinted they could disclose the fact there was no quorum if the bills were pressed.

Antitoxin Bill Held Up.

The antitoxin bill, which provides that the state shall establish a place of distribution in each county, was one of the bills held up. It was read a second time, but Representative Craig objected to its being advanced to third reading. The bill changing the system of cumulative voting by adopting a plan practically equivalent to the Chicago method was reported out of the elections committee, but it also was delayed. The Sheen bill requiring interchangable telephone service went to second reading.

A number of bills were advanced to third reading, including Lindly's measure providing for the transportation of school children when school districts combine, his bills providing for free scholarships in normal schools and the University of Illinois, and Craig's bill providing fines and jail sentences for foreign corporations which violate the laws of the state.

As a result of the charter hearing given to the Chicago Federation of Labor men, who want a charter convention in Chicago, Representative McGoorty introduced a new charter bill providing for a charter convention. The original labor charter convention bill was introduced by Drew, but the charter committee in discussing it with the labor men agreed that even in case such a plan should be considered later the bill they offered would not be adequate.

New Plan for Charter Convention.

McGoorty gathered up the suggestions made in this discussion and drafted a new measure. Under it the convention would consist of 120 delegates. In the Drew bill it would have 350, and the large number was one objection to it. According to the McGoorty bill each senatorial district in Chicago will select five delegates and twenty-five will be elected at large.

"TO RENT" SIGN CAUSES A SUIT.

Landlord Seeks to Enjoin Tenant from Tearing Down Card from Door of Meat Market.

A dispute between a landlord and tenant over a "to rent" sign was taken into the Superior court yesterday, when Judge Brentano issued an injunction forbidding Frank Stafford, 827 Forty-third street, tenant, from interfering with the sign, placed on the door of the meat market at that number. Stafford leased the store and flat above until May 1. Last Wednesday the landlord, William H. Swift, placed a "to rent" sign on the building, which, according to the petition, was "torn down." Thursday Swift began suit before Justice Everett and obtained judgment for possession of the premises. Stafford served notice of appeal. The landlord then asked for the injunction.

ATTACKS VIOLENCE IN SPORTS.

Canadian Judge Tells Jury Law Should Be Made to Prevent Roughness in Contests.

Ottawa, Ont., March 31.—[Special.]—Addressing the grand jury today, Judge Teetzel said laws should be made to govern athletics and prevent roughness.

"I refer particularly to hockey, lacrosse, and football," he said. "The excitement of the game too frequently becomes anger, which results in the death or injury of players. Spectators are much to blame for giving their approval to acts of violence."

Judge Teetzel declared a committee of the government should consult with officials of the different leagues and agree on some law to check unsportsmanlike contests.

AID THE OFF THE STREET CLUB.

Several Hundred Dollars Suscribed for a Home for Boys at Meeting in Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

At a meeting in the Central Y. M. C. A. auditorium last evening Representative Abram E. Wilson of Wheaton spoke on "What the State Is Doing for the Boys" and then followed practical efforts to aid the Off the Street club in providing a home for boys. Several hundred dollars was subscribed and it was announced that the previous donations there soon would be enough to purchase a building. A site in Harrison street, near Center avenue, has been decidd on.

Siegel, Cooper & Co. have adopted their own—the Siegel Merchandise Discount Stamp. They're the same as money.

Will Help Honor Fairy Tale Man.

In Lincoln park tomorrow afternoon little Caroline Rosenfield, 585 North Lincoln street, will lay a wreath of laurel on the Andersen monument as a feature of the celebration of the centennial of the birth of Hans Christian Andersen, the Danish story writer. There also will be bands and speeches. For the Monday celebration in Orchestra hall the program includes many of Andersen's songs and tales, including "In Denmark I Was Born." A prologue written by A. Engel will be read by the author. The Women's Singing Society of Illinois will take part.

DEEPER WATER FOR LAKES

INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION TO CONSIDER DAM PROJECT.

Canadian and American Experts Will Investigate Advisability of Constructing Works at Lower End of Lake Erie, to Raise Level Beyond Chicago, and Remove a Danger to Navigation — Great Variations in Soundings in Different Years.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—[Special.]—More water for Chicago and other lake ports is promised by the war department as the result of a conference arranged between American and Canadian representatives to consider the advisability of building a dam at the lower end of Lake Erie.

Brig. Gen. Mackenzie, chief of the army engineers, said today the important work before the commission was to study the causes of changes in the water level of Lake Erie, Lake Huron, and Lake Michigan, and to determine the method best suited to insure uniformity of depth.

Dangers to Navigation Now.

"There have been some years when, at Chicago, for example, there were five feet less of water than in other years," said Gen. Mackenzie. "Sometimes the difference in the levels amounted to seven feet, and where the navigators' charts showed twenty feet there may be considerably less. These changes are due to a heavy rainfall or the lack of it. One of the projects suggested to overcome this obstacle to navigation contemplates the erection of a dam at the lower end of Lake Erie, which would tend to hold the water up to a uniform level.

"This would place under water permanently considerable land which now is submerged only part of the year. Canadian territory naturally was affected by the project, and the joint commission, therefore, was named. Great benefits would be enjoyed by the ports of Lakes Erie, Huron, and Michigan if a uniform level were established, and this is what congress and the department desire to bring about."

The commission to consider the subject is to work under the provisions of the river and harbor act of 1902. The deep waterways commission recommended such a dam in its report some time ago. If the project of a canal for ocean steamers should ever go through, a uniform lake level, according to army engineers, would be of considerable value.

Plans to Save Niagara Falls.

The state department has been considering memorials presented to it by various organizations, objecting to the extensive use by Canadian-American companies of water power from Niagara Falls, which, it is feared, will result in the disappearance of this natural wonder. The department probably will get around to the point of taking the matter up with Great Britain some day, but it is believed there is plenty of time before the water will cease to flow over the falls.

BANK IS RUINED BY CASHIER.

Edward Kaneen of Lorain, O., Institution Admits His Part in $97,000 Shortage.

Lorain, O., March 31.—[Special.]—After the Citizens' Savings bank today refused to open its doors to several hundred depositors, who stood in line to withdraw their money, Cashier Edward Kaneen confessed he was responsible for the assignment, announced last night. He said speculation was the cause.

Kaneen has turned over every cent he possessed, but it will not go far toward making good the $97,000 shortage. He declares he had no intention of wrongdoing at the start. He points to the fact he never played cards or gambled in any other way, and says he "never did a dishonest thing until he began using the bank's money.

"But others led me into it," he said. "I saw other men speculating and thought I could do the same thing and win."

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GATES SCORES ON MAY WHEAT BEARS

State Warehouse Commissioners Fail to Increase Available Stocks.

SHORTS FORCE PRICE UP.

Premium of 25 Cents Over the July Product Follows the Buying.

John W. Gates has scored a victory in an important skirmish in his battle against the bears in May wheat. The leader of the bull party in the biggest deal in grains for nearly a decade probably has felt assured for some time that there was no serious danger of a wholesale addition being made to the local contract stock of wheat through the efforts of the Illinois board of railroad and warehouse commissioners. Scattered shorts in May wheat discovered yesterday there was no hope of such action, and by their covering added 1½ cents to the May price and forced it to a premium of 25 cents over that for July.

The warehouse commissioners are a divided house, although when they heard arguments a few weeks ago at a public meeting of grain men on the question of grading Oregon red Russian wheat of the requisite quality as No. 2 red winter in this market, which would permit the addition of several million bushels of wheat to the contract stock, which the May bulls would have to take and pay for, the commission seemed determined to make such a ruling, partly because the Pacific coast wheat is being graded as red winter wheat in the other end of the state at East St. Louis.

Commissioner Neville is still in favor of such a change in the methods of inspecting grain in the Chicago market, but Commissioner French, the remaining active member of the commission, has had a change of heart. The commissioners were to have given a decision a week ago, but came to no agreement. They were to have met here yesterday and announced a decision, but Commissioner Neville did not come to the city.

Repeated Postponements Expected.

Action has been postponed again and the last postponement has convinced the trade that there will be nothing but postponements at least until after the close of the May deal.

The directors of the board of trade have turned down a petition to have the Oregon wheat made a contract grade at a discount of 5c under the market price and there is now no likelihood of a material increase in the small local stocks of contract grade, around 1,200,000 bu. This is all the wheat there is in sight for the May shorts to settle the May holdings of Mr. Gates and his friends, which still are estimated at 18,000,000 bu. The possibility of contract wheat being brought here from elsewhere is lessened by the fact that the Gates crowd is long in other markets as well. New York messages reported the purchase of 300,000 bushels May wheat by the Gates interest there, giving them a long holding of more than 1,000,000 bushels, or more than the contract stock in that market.

The bull clique does not intend an immediate aggressive campaign. To a suggestion of one of his Chicago associates that the new developments would make it easy to run in the shorts Mr. Gates is said to have replied by wire to the effect that "April 15 will be time enough to go gunning for bears."

Activity of Shorts Feared.

There is an uneasy feeling in the trade, however, that something exciting is likely to happen in the May deal at any time—that the shorts might set the market going. This was shown by the fact that Milwaukee houses which are long May wheat for customers called ten points margin on all trades yesterday. A Chicago house short May wheat in that market at $1.18 was called 10 cents margin, in spite of the fact that the trade was in its favor by 5 cents, the margin covering a possible advance of 15 cents, to $1.28.

As a side line to the May wheat deal Gates is believed to be long a good many million bushels of May corn in the local market.

ASTROLOGY NOT A PROFESSION.

So Terre Haute Judge Decides and Throws Out of Court Turk's Suit for $25.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 31.—[Special.]—Judge Church today decided astrology is not a profession, as recognized by law, and he threw out of court a suit of a Turk for $25 "professional fees." Mr. Prager, a jeweler, was the defendant. The Turk has read the horoscopes of many Terre Haute residents.

WRIT AGAINST PEARY'S SHIP.

Action Taken to Secure Claim of $1,500 Against Builder of the Roosevelt.

Portland, Me., March 31.—[Special.]—Gardiner G. Deering of Bath tonight placed an attachment on Commander Peary's arctic ship, Roosevelt, as security for a claim of $1,500 against the builder, Frederick A. Houghton of Bucksport. A keeper was placed on board.

OBITUARY.

FREDERICK W. LUDLOW, aged 39, son of Erastus D. Ludlow, formerly of Chicago, who had in recent years lived at Lake Valley, N. M., died Thursday evening at Mineral Wells, Tex., of acute Bright's disease. The funeral will take place today at Dallas, Tex.

DANIEL WALDRON of Washington, D. C., known in theatrical circles, whose real name was Daniel Cook, is dead. He was 47 years old. Cook was the last of the original "Big Four"—Lester, Allen, Smith, and Waldron—minstrels.

THE DOWAGER DUCHESS OF ABERCORN, who was Louisa Jane Russell, daughter of the sixth duke of Bedford, died of gastritis at Coates castle, Sussex.

DR. E. C. HEWETT, for fifteen years president of the Illinois State Normal school, died suddenly at Bloomington, Ill. He was 77 years old.

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DR. ABBOTT SAYS AMERICANS NEED SPIRIT OF OBEDIENCE.

Yale Students Are Told That Disregard of Laws Is the Greatest Among the Wealthy.

New Haven, Conn., March 31.—[Special.]—The Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott told Yale and Union Theological seminary students assembled here tonight that Americans are lawless people and that the greatest need of this country is earnest obedience to the law. He said:

"What the country needs is not more wealth; it is not more commercial prosperity; it is not principally better intelligence, for we are smart, but it is earnest and loving obedience to the law. We boast of our independence and think that means to go in our own way, and we do go that way.

"Black as well as white, rich as well as poor, educated as well as ignorant, need it, for I believe the worst forms of law breaking are not among the poor and ignorant, but among the rich and educated.

"From the civil war down to the present time it has been a history of his lack of obedience to the law. America's greatest need is character and the minister must make this."

FLASHLIGHT POWDER IS FATAL.

Explosion While a Photograph Is Being Taken Kills One and Injures Three Men.

Omaha, Neb., March 31.—While a flashlight photograph was being taken in a saloon this afternoon Albert Butler was killed instantly and William Coffee, W. J. Murray, and M. Levey were seriously injured by an explosion of powder used by the photographer.

Accused Slayer of Woman May Die.

Peoria, Ill., March 31.—The serious illness of Richard Higgins, charged with the murder of Mrs. Nellie Thomason, Oct. 8, may postpone his trial for the third time. His death is feared.

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CARTER HARRISON'S CUP.

While THE TRIBUNE is not a spokesman or apologist for Carter Harrison, it is constrained to extend to him on his retirement from office the good wishes appropriate to the occasion. The aldermen who, without regard to party, joined in the testimonial to him Thursday night expressed inadequately the feelings of possibly a majority of his fellow citizens towards him.

While we are in the midst of a heated municipal campaign, and the traction question is being discussed almost to the weariness of the public, it may be well to remember that there would be no traction question to discuss if it were not for Mayor Harrison. For eight years he has stood like a stone wall against any adjustment of that question which he did not conceive to be in the interests of the people. He has withstood temptations, direct and indirect, which it is scarcely an exaggeration to say most persons in his position would have yielded to. He has been taken up in the high places and invited to choose his dominion, if he would consent to a settlement of the traction question satisfactory to the persons chiefly interested in it. He has been assailed by all kinds of arguments. Whether he has been offered any direct pecuniary inducement or not it is impossible to say, but the presumption is that indirectly intimations even of that description have been made to him. He has not permitted himself to be put in a position where he could be misrepresented. It has honestly been urged to him that the whole city was languishing because the Banquo's ghost of the traction question would not down. It was alleged that it would be to his political interest to dispose of it one way or the other. He has been importuned. He has been threatened. He has been assailed from all quarters in almost every conceivable way, with a view to obtaining his consent to a mode of adjustment in the interest of the principal owners of the roads.

Out of this furnace of affliction Carter Harrison has come without even a smell of fire upon his garments. He is as poor a man today as he was when he went into office—poor in everything, indeed, except in reputation. In that respect he stands much higher than he did when he became mayor. He is now known to be not merely a man of integrity but one of ability and administrative capacity. He has shown almost infinite patience, tact, and forbearance in dealing with members of the council.

So THE TRIBUNE thinks that the "loving cup" he received from members of the council, irrespective of party, was well deserved. It was the highest compliment ever paid to any mayor of Chicago. The only precedent for it was the cup presented to Speaker Cannon at the close of the last session of congress by what was happily called a "joint caucus" of members of both parties in the house. The feelings of all the participants were then well expressed in the felicitous speech of Congressman Boutell. The occasion was one that will be recorded in the annals of the house as marking an "era of good feeling" without precedent, which may be without a parallel.

THE TRIBUNE is not without reserve an admirer of Carter Harrison's four administrations. It has often felt that he was rather lax—probably even slovenly—in his methods in carrying on the city government. It has always felt that the money he had at his command was not used to the best possible advantage and would have gone further in more judicious hands. It never has been able to entertain the hope that he would omit to "play politics" if the occasion should present itself. But while Mr. Harrison has been a fierce partisan outside of the mayor's office, it cannot honestly be said that he has been a conspicuous partisan inside that office. Members of the council, without regard to party, have borne testimony to that effect. He has always listened patiently and without prejudice to the complaints or representations of citizens of all parties who had business with him. The almost universal testimony is that he has fulfilled the duties of his office with strict regard to his obligations as the chief executive officer of the municipality.

So we all must wish him godspeed, a happy journey around the world, if he choose to make one, success in his efforts as a "bookmaker" of the better sort, if he shall wish to imitate still more faithfully the example of his father, and a happy return to the neighbors and friends who have uniformly entertained for him and the members of his family sentiments of respect occasionally tempered by admiration.

NO NEW CITY HALL.

The council has appropriated $5,000 to pay architects who are to make a critical examination of the city hall to find out whether a new one is needed. There are some facts which can be learned without the employment of high priced experts. One is that the city hall, unlike the county building, was honestly built. It is not a tumble-down structure. The city got good material and workmanship, though it also got a structure in which there is much wasted space. The architect was thinking more of the looks of his building than he was of economy of space or of the comfort of the occupants.

The council needs no expert to tell it that the city hall has not room enough for the various departments and that the plumbing is old and inadequate. It needs overhauling or complete reconstruction, so that all parts of the building may be in decent sanitary condition. It would be well to find out whether a modern system of plumbing can be introduced, and if so, what it will cost. If the expense is not excessive the city may be able to find the money.

Even if the architects condemn the city hall and say that a new one is necessary, where is the money to come from? The council knows that the city has none to spare for that purpose and no immediate prospect of getting any. Legislation for the city moves slowly at Springfield. There are discouraging reports that the bill which is to consolidate different local governments, raise the debt limit of the city and enable it to get money by selling bonds may possibly fail to go through. Even if it does there will be so many urgent uses for the money to be got from bond sales that the claims of the city hall will be likely to be neglected.

The $5,000 which is to be spent to find out whether a new city hall is needed can be put to a more practical use.

TO RADICALS.

Harlan is more conservative in politics than Dunne. So you think perhaps that you ought to be against Harlan.

Dunne is willing to make more sacrifices for instantaneous municipal ownership than Harlan. So you think perhaps that you ought to vote for Dunne.

If Harlan were against municipal ownership you would be perfectly right. If the issue were between the theory of private ownership and the theory of public ownership your course would be clear. As a believer in public ownership you would have to vote for Dunne.

But Harlan is not against public ownership. The difference between him and Dunne is not one of principle but one of degree. Both Dunne and Harlan would move in the direction of municipal ownership. The only possible claim for Dunne is that he might move faster. He would be willing to make more sacrifices.

But what are those sacrifices?

Some of them are financial sacrifices. Harlan wants municipal ownership by knocking the value out of the ninety-nine year act, and, if necessary, by building municipal subways and independent municipal lines. Dunne is willing to buy up all the old cars and all the unexpired franchises at their market price. Do you want to see municipal ownership sunk at the start with a load of rusty iron and aerated water?

Other sacrifices that Dunne would make are moral sacrifices. In order to get municipal ownership he is willing to indorse Tom Carey and Michael Kenna and George F. Harding. He has never raised his voice against any democratic boodler. He is a good, easy man. He has always taken the world as he found it. He has always let corruption in his party fester on as long as he had a handkerchief and could look the other way. And now that he is so keen for municipal ownership he cordially admits all the grafters to his counsels. Do you want municipal ownership to come with a rush, all tainted and shattered, or would you rather have it come a little bit more slowly and arrive in good condition?

Dunne is more radical than Harlan, but isn't Harlan going just as fast as good sense and good business and good morals and the ultimate welfare of the community will permit? You are a radical. But you are not living in a vacuum. You are not existing simply for the purpose of announcing your radical opinions. No matter which way you vote municipal ownership will come. Vote for the candidate under whom municipal ownership will come cleanest and safest, with the fewest scandals and the best results.

TO CONSERVATIVES.

Harlan is not exactly your kind of man. No honest newspaper will try to hoodwink you into believing that he is.

In speech Harlan is sudden and squally. In action he is tempestuous with lightning and hailstones. And he says that municipal ownership must come.

Let us put the case fairly and squarely. If you are suspected of not telling the whole truth you pay for it. It is expensive. Your arguments slump down from par and circulate only at a discount.

Harlan is not a zephyr. He is a great wind which is tempered to no lamb, shorn or unshorn. And he says that municipal ownership must come.

So perhaps you think you will stay at home on election day. You don't like Harlan's temperament. And you don't care much for Harlan's political principles.

But there is one thing you forget. You are a citizen of Chicago. When in former years both candidates for mayor thought your way about traction you were a citizen of Chicago. Now that both candidates for mayor believe in municipal ownership you are still a citizen of Chicago.

Harlan stands for a municipal ownership which will be gradual, experimental, sure, and sound. Dunne stands for a municipal ownership which will be litigious, wasteful, and bankrupt.

Do you want to stay at home and hand the city over to Dunne? Do you think more of your personal pique than you do of Chicago? Are you going to leave the ship like a rat because you think that it is in a bad way and drifting toward the rocks of socialism? Surely you have more personal and moral courage than that. Be a loyal son of American democratic institutions, compromise with your fellow citizens (who have as much right to their opinions as you have to yours), accept the drift of events (you have to live in the world), make the best of the situation, go to the polls and do your duty.

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL BONANZA.

The effort of certain members of the legislature to obtain additional revenue from the Illinois Central railroad may be and probably is praiseworthy. If the road is not making a proper return of its revenues, if it is reserving part of its receipts from suburban business or from coal or other freight that should properly be included in its gross receipts, that becomes a proper subject of inquiry.

However, it is well to notice in passing that the 7 per cent of its receipts paid over by the road to the state has been steadily increasing until now it has reached over $1,000,000 a year. In his testimony before the interstate commerce committee of the senate recently Mr. Stuyvesant Fish set forth the fact concisely in the following table, which gives the payments of the road by years from the date of beginning business up to the present time:

Year ended Oct. 31—		Year ended Oct. 31—	
1856	$ 20,751	1881	$ 384,582
1856	77,631	1882	396,036
1857	145,645	1883	388,743
1858	132,000	1884	356,079
1859	132,104	1885	367,788
1860	171,557	1886	378,114
1861	177,251	1887	414,574
1862	212,174	1888	424,955
1863	300,394	1889	460,244
1864	405,614	1890	434,574
1865	496,489	1891	538,006
1866	427,075	1892	580,486
1867	444,007	1893	753,007
1868	428,367	1894	665,911
1869	494,933	1895	616,521
1870	464,584	1896	624,856
1871	468,512	1897	624,602
1872	442,656	1898	637,092
1873	423,674	1899	696,047
1874	394,366	1900	784,062
1875	376,766	1901	944,133
1876	356,005	1902	942,661
1877	310,361	1903	1,078,790
1878	320,451	1904	1,062,571
1879	325,477		
1880	368,348	Total	$22,730,629

$1,062,571.86 capitalized at 3½ per cent amounts to $30,359,196.

Mr. Fish showed that there was a temporary diminution of the receipts soon after the close of the civil war, owing to the fact that the Atlantic trunk lines began to make from their points of junction with the Illinois Central the same rates to the seaboard as prevailed from Chicago, thus causing a decrease of traffic over that road for a time. That deficiency has been more than made good by the growth of the population and productivity of the state and the consequent increase of the traffic of the road.

Certainly the result is most gratifying. No other state can with equal reason congratulate itself upon a contract made with a railroad company.

THE late Millionaire Weightman made his fortune in quinine, and the bitterness persists.

OUR esteemed contemporary, the New York World, indulges in the renomination and reelection of President Roosevelt in 1908 as its regular daily exercise.

A MAN in British Columbia, wearying of life, tried to stab himself with a safety pin. His next attempt, it is conjectured, will be made with a boiled carrot.

THE fruit business will be all the better and healthier for a little ventilation of the private refrigerator car graft.

RUSSIA is willing to call the war off if the Japanese will abate all their demands and concede that they have been constructively whipped.

MAYOR HARRISON should take that loving cup with him when he goes fishing. It will come in handy for bait.

THE more or less Hon. Johnnypowers has reached the proper age for political osterization.

ADMIRAL ROJESTVENSKY must not let his adherence to the Russian calendar blind him to the fact that this is generally regarded as April 1, and that it would be just like Admiral Togo to play a rude practical joke of some kind on him.

CANDIDATE COLLINS, who expects to receive 50,000 votes next Tuesday, is entitled to honorary membership in all the Rainbow Chasers' clubs.

IT might have been better for Judge Dunk if his voice had failed him a few seconds before he made that speech in the First ward.

BETWEEN its uprisings at home and its downsittings, so to speak, in Manchuria, Russia doesn't have a moment's peace.

A STRAW vote is a species of political fodder that should always be taken with a little coarse salt.

OSTENSIBLY March has gone, but if it is found lingering presently in April's lap there need be no sudden shock of surprise.

THE question as to the healthfulness of rhinoceros steak as an article of food has yet to be passed upon by Dr. Wiley.

THE glorious opportunity of administering a dose of political knockout drops to Ed Cullerton presents itself once more to the voters of the Eleventh ward.

STILL another "Don't." Don't pick up any innocent looking package you may happen to see lying on the sidewalk or in the street today.

ST. LOUIS voters are confronted with a proposition to double their mayor's salary. Probably this is one of the by-products of the Million club.

MINISTER BOWEN may be p. n. g., but it does not follow that he is n. g.

AS TO Mrs. Craigie's contention that women are unfit to sit on juries, it would have been more soothing to her fellow women if she had based it on the broad ground that they are disqualified because they know too much.

IT is dawning on the United States senate that it has a determined president on its hands.

NEW YORK CITY takes occasion to invite the attention of the world to the most spectacular subway fire that ever happened.

GEN. LINEVITCH may have lost the Japanese army, but he may be sure that Oyama has not lost sight of him.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Had a Good General Idea.

Teacher—"Wait a moment, Johnny. What do you understand by that word 'deficit'?"

Johnny—"It's what you've got when you haven't got as much as if you just hadn't nothin'."

Prejudiced View.

"Life insurance," says Uncle Ame,
"Is the biggest of all the fakes,
You bet on some other man's game,
An' you let him hold the stakes."

The Professor.

"Doctor," said the professor, "I swallowed a plum pit a little while ago. Will it hurt me?"

"No," responded the doctor; "but how came you to swallow it?"

"It was accidental," irritably rejoined the professor. "Merely a slip of the tongue."

Hear It?

Whence comes that melancholy sound,
That dismal, sad refrain?
Why, that's the "crying need," of which
You've heard in this campaign.

Uncle Allen.

"So there's a lobster trust, is there?" Uncle Allen Sparks was saying. "Well, the next thing will be the trust lobster, and it will be all claws and tentacles."

His High Hope.

The ambitious young merchant caressed the shapely hand of the heiress.

"Dear little hand!" he murmured, absent mindedly. "So delicate! So fragile! And yet I hope some day to see it lift the heavy mortgage that's on my store!"

Natural Inference.

Gothamite Husband—"I know I'm late to dinner today, my dear, but I was detained by a pressing engagement."

Sarcastic Wife—"Pressing, was it, George? Showing somebody the Flatiron building?"
C. W. T.

Canadian View.

The German emperor says he early vowed "never to strike for world mastery." It is just as well for his peace of mind that he did so, because he would never have got it, anyway.—Toronto Globe.

Same Old Question.

A man who went to church in Philadelphia met the minister's daughter there and now he is married to her. And still the question is asked, Why do so few men go to church?—Buffalo News.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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OLD Sir Edward Blount, who has just died in England at the age of 96, was for nearly fifty years the managing president and controller of the Great Western railroad of France. The railroad connects Paris with all the great seaports and naval strongholds on the northwest and western coasts, and in view of the fact that the Great Western lines would have been precisely those of most vital importance to the French government, and to the French nation, in the event of a war with England, it speaks volumes for the confidence of the entire French people in his lofty sense of honor that he should have been allowed, though an Englishman, to retain this office of president so long. He was in control of the lines under King Louis Philippe, the second republic, throughout the eighteen years of the second empire, and under the third republic until about ten years ago, when the Dreyfus scandal so upset people in France, shook to such an extent their trust in the honor of their closest friends, their relatives, and their neighbors, that old Sir Edward, then 85, but still hale and hearty, was quietly recommended to resign the chairmanship of that railroad, which he had helped to build.

As a boy of 10 he witnessed the triumphal return of the first marquis of Anglesey to his country seat of Beaudesert after the battle of Waterloo. He was an assistant private secretary of the great statesman, Canning, was a clerk in the foreign office when the dispatches announcing the naval battle of Navarino arrived there, and he was obliged to copy them out for the king. He went to Paris in 1831 as an attaché of the British embassy there, but abandoned diplomacy for banking, established an Anglo-French banking house in Paris, and succeeded so well that when the railroad fever struck France he was enabled to finance the construction of the West of France railroad.

Blount knew Talleyrand, dined at Versailles with Bismarck in 1870, and volunteered to act as British consul without pay during the siege of Paris by the Germans and during the subsequent commune insurrection, saving the lives of at least twenty Englishmen and Americans who had been condemned to be shot by the insurgents.

It was during that time, too, that as British consul it fell to his lot to perform the marriage ceremony uniting Sir Richard Wallace to his French wife. This was, as it ultimately turned out, unfortunate, since it served to draw attention, officially and otherwise, to the fact that they were not married up to that time, and that their grown up son, a gallant officer of French cuirassiers, who distinguished himself in the famous cavalry charge at Sedan, was illegitimate, and incapable, therefore, of succeeding to the hereditary honors subsequently conferred upon Sir Richard by Queen Victoria.

Lady Wallace, owing to this tardy marriage, was barred from court in England and ostracised by English society. But when he died, Sir Richard left not merely the whole of his vast property but likewise his priceless art collection to her, so that she might present the collection as her gift to that English nation which virtually had closed its doors against her. The collection is now a state institution, housed at Hertford house in London, and celebrated throughout the world as one of the most unique of art museums.

Sir Edward Blount never became naturalized, though he made his home in France for three-score years, but remained an Englishman to the last, the French honoring him for his sturdy independence and national pride in declining to secure French citizenship. His children and grandchildren have, however, married into the old French aristocracy. England honored him by conferring upon him the the order of the Bath, King Edward, who was fond of him, offering him a baronetcy, which he declined, wishing that there should be no other baronetcy in his family than the one held by its chief, his cousin, which dates from the reign of King James I., though the Blount family figures on the famous roll of Battle Abbey, its founder having been with William the Conqueror at the battle of Hastings.

Lord Darnley, who has just been elected for life to be a representative peer of Ireland in the house of lords, has no ancestral connection whatsoever with the peer of that name who married Mary Queen of Scots, and who was murdered by Bothwell. The first Lord Darnley of the present creation was an Irishman of the name of Bligh, who was raised to the peerage during the reign of Queen Anne, and who is descended from one of the officers who accompanied Cromwell to Ireland. In the female line, however, Lord Darnley is descended from the last Stewart duke of Lennox, who died in 1672, when, there being no male heir, King Charles II., as nearest male relative of the duke, appropriated the peerage and conferred it, along with the dukedom of Richmond, upon his illegitimate son by Louise de Querouailles, duchess of Portsmouth, from whom the present duke of Richmond and of Lennox is descended. The Stewart dukedom of Lennox was a Scotch one, and nearly half of the peerages of Scotland is transmissible through the female line.

There is a doubt whether the Stewart dukedom of Lennox belongs to this category of peerages or not. But if it does come under that head, then undoubtedly Lord Darnley's claim thereto is a just one. For though the last duke of Lennox of the Stewart line left no son, yet he was survived by a daughter, the Lady Catherine Stewart, one of whose legitimate descendants married that Irish attorney, John Bligh, whom Queen Anne created earl of Darnley.

The present earl has been one of the most famous cricketers in the united kingdom, and may possibly be remembered as such under the name of Ivo Bligh. At the death of his elder brother, the late earl, his English barony of Clifton descended to his little daughter, being, as a barony by writ, transmissible through the female line, and Ivo Bligh merely succeeded to the Irish earldom of Darnley and to the minor Irish honors, which include an Irish barony of Clifton, so that he has had to wait until his election now as an Irish representative peer in order to obtain a seat in the house of lords.

His country seat at Chobham hall is near Gravesend and stands in the midst of a country rich in Dickens associations, the famous "Leather Bottle Inn," to which Mr. Tracy Tupman retired for the purpose of self-destruction, and where he was discovered, not dead, but discussing a fine bottle of port wine by his friend Pickwick, is just outside the park wall. Chobham hall contains one of the finest collections of pictures, nearly all old masters, in England, and the father of the present peer was so afraid of their destruction by fire that no matter how cold the winter he would allow no fires in any of the rooms, the entire place remaining unheated, and the cooking being done in an adjacent building.

The Chobham hall estate takes its name from that Lord Chobham who was compromised in the conspiracy of Sir Walter Raleigh against King James I. and confiscated by the latter to the crown, was presented by him to the Stewart duke of Lennox, and passed at the death of the last Stewart duke of Lennox to his daughter, the Lady Catherine Stewart, and through her to her descendant, the wife of the first Lord Darnley.

Considerable offense has been caused among the Upper Ten Thousand in England by the fact that Mrs. Humphry Ward, when describing in her new novel the dining room of two of the most displeasing and ridiculous characters of her book—namely: "Lord and Lady Grosville"—should have referred to a picture on the walls as "one of the most famous XVIII. century masters, representing a Dance of Children." Everybody who knows anything about English art will realize that this cannot mean anything else than the famous Romney, wherein the first Earl Granville and his stepsisters are shown dancing in just such a scene as the "Grosville" painting is said to represent. This, taken in conjunction with the similarity between the names of "Grosville" and Granville, clearly suggests, and that, too, in an offensive manner, the universally respected and popular couple whom the authoress had in mind when she delineated the "Grosvilles."

Undoubtedly.

"If an old maid says 'no' when a man proposes to her, is she playing the coquette?"

"No, she's playing the fool."—Cleveland Leader.

Usual Supply.

Vermont dispatches tell us that the maple sugar supply will be lighter this year than usual. The label supply, however, is practically limitless.—New York Mail.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN

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Once again I find the book,
Worn and torn by eager hands—
And I close my eyes and look
Far out through the fairy lands,
See a glimmering of light
In the shadows of the wood—
'Tis a singing, dancing sprite
In his silver cloak and hood.

And I hear the bees that hum
In the lazy afternoon
Till their fairy riders come
For a journey to the moon;
Yes, and out across the lake
There are fairy sails that lift
From the foam, and shake and shake
While the breezes idly shift.

And the nodding branches hold
Fairies who sit side by side,
Saucy, happy, pert, and bold,
While I watch them open-eyed.
Softly, softly, in the grass
Creep the little fairy men,
Chuckling quaintly as I pass,
Making mock of me again.

Fairies! How they call today
To the folk who have outgrown
Perfect knowledge of the way
To the land the children own!
I look back with straining eyes
Through the curtain of the mist
Where the barring mountains rise—
And a fairy hand is kissed!

Is it greeting or farewell?
Do the fairies know me now
As they did when I could tell
Where they lived on blade or bough?

Andersen, the prize is yours
Such as seldom fortune sends,
Such a prize as long endures—
All the children are your friends.

W. D. N.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

Chicago Orchestra.

It was into a picture gallery Mr. Stock led his auditors yesterday afternoon at Orchestra hall, and by using their oral nerves as a medium of vision they were enabled to see much that was interesting, attractive, and enjoyable. The tour of inspection of these tonal paintings was not of long duration—it lasted less than two hours—but in that time some eight works were exhibited. The auditor blessed with imagination found much that was satisfying. But since imagination is an essential for enjoyment in any picture gallery, those not so qualified may have found yesterday's sojourn tiring. Picture viewing is at best a nerve wearying occupation, and it become especially so when the pictures viewed are in so intangible and elusive a material as is orchestral tone. But Mr. Stock had chosen with discrimination and good taste, and thus monotony was avoided.

First shown was the introductory sketch to that merry, masterly, and wrongfully neglected opera of Peter Cornelius, "The Barber of Bagdad." It is a sketch full of humor, charming in its every detail, and sufficiently touched with oriental coloring to possess piquancy and originality. It was a welcome revealment after many seasons of a work which brought vividly to mind the whole captivating picture of comedy, jest, and sentiment which Cornelius has left us in his masterwork. What a pity it is that operatic conditions in this country make it impossible for us to have the beautiful work revived and again presented as it was some fourteen years ago at the Auditorium!

The second picture Mr. Stock displayed was an aquarelle drawn by that master colorist, Richard Strauss. It was a view of the wonderful scene that greets the spectator as he stands "on the shores of Sorrento" and gazes seaward. It is one of the earlier and not one of the best of the Strauss productions as regards either color or subject, but it was placed in favorable light by Mr. Stock and his men, and was therefore not without its power to please.

Next came two of the most original and beautiful pieces of tonal painting that the recent years have brought us—the "Swan of Tuonela" and "The Return Home of Lemminkäinen." The Finnish master, Sibelius, in the depicting of these two scenes from the "Kalevala," has employed colors and effects that are as unique and as strongly individual as they are effective and beautiful. The "Swan of Tuonela," with its somber yet intensely colored background and its vivid drawing of the lamenting swan, is one of the most impressive tone pictures orchestral literature can boast, and the "Return" has in it a suggestion of confusion, of rush, and of barbaric combat that make it nothing less than masterly in its conception and in the skill with which it is produced by comparatively simple means. These were the masterpieces of the afternoon, and Mr. Stock and his men left naught undone to disclose them in the most advantageous way.

The fifth picture was a view of Polish glory. It was drawn originally in black and white by Chopin, and later was copied in colors by Mr. Thomas. We have heard this A flat Polonaise at nine out of every ten piano recitals that have been given in many years, but the martial dignity and the true majesty which distinguish it never fail to move us, no matter how distorted or imperfect may be the medium through which we have to view them. Yesterday the medium was one of clarity, and the coloring Mr. Thomas supplied took on unaccustomed brightness as shown by Mr. Stock and his men.

After the intermission a Russian tone painter, Balakirew, came forward. He is a comparative stranger to Chicago music lovers, and his "Thamar" is virtually unknown. Yesterday this creation of his seemed impressionistic to the point of indefiniteness and uncleanness. The program he has supplied with the title tells of a queen who was a siren and an angel in one, and who decoyed men to her castle only to destroy them and throw their dead bodies to the stream that rushes past her castle.

By careful study of the characterizing motives and the exercise of a generous amount of imagination, it was possible to discover the outlines of the queen and of the men she enticed to her castle, and something of the surrounding landscape also was discoverable, but of the tragedy that occurred there was little or nothing learned. It is a pretentious canvas and brilliantly colored in part, but of what it all meant the present writer for one obtained a decidedly hazy idea.

No picture exhibit would be complete without a "Spring," and so the one by Glazounow was shown us. It is quite an attractive piece of work, done in soft colors, and with singing birds, done in soft colors, and with flowers to lend charm and life to its presentment of the loveliest season in the twelve months.

With a series of five little sketches, made in Spain by the Russian, Rimsky-Korsakow, and called "Capriccio Espagnol," the exhibition ended. They are bright colored bits, full of spirited life and of the careless happiness that abounds in that sunny land of contrasts. Mr. Stock and his men threw on to the brilliant canvases the strongest lights they could produce, and the result was dazzling.

The same tone pictures will be placed on view this evening in Orchestra hall, commencing at 8:15 o'clock.

W. L. HUBBARD.

Gentle Hint.

Of course, Kansas might build a pipe line of her own, but Kansas thinks it will be more entertaining to let Mr. Rockefeller operate the pipe line while the state fixes rates and regulations.—Sioux City Journal.

BOWEN'S DIFFERENCES WITH CASTRO ARE ONLY PERSONAL, NOT DIPLOMATIC.

American Minister's Presence at Venezuelan Capital Distasteful, Not Because of His Advocacy of the Asphalt Trust—Kaiser Wilhelm and the Moorish Bandit Chief—The Jamestown Exposition.

BY RICHARD WEIGHTMAN.

Washington, D. C., March 31.—[Special.]—As a sincere friend and admirer of Herbert W. Bowen, United States minister to Venezuela, I hope the government will recall him at the earliest possible moment. His continued presence at Caracas can serve no useful purpose. On the contrary, it gives color to many unfortunate misconceptions while delaying, if not hopelessly obstructing, everything in the nature of an amicable adjustment. His present position, in fact, is virtually untenable, and it is no secret that he wishes to be relieved.

Perhaps the most untoward feature of the situation is the popular estimate of the obvious quarrel between Bowen and Castro. One sees the assumption every day in various public prints that the quarrel has grown out of Castro's alleged oppression of the asphalt trust. It is taken for granted that Bowen resents this, and so public opinion is aroused against Venezuela, and an undeserved sympathy created in favor of the asphalt company.

All this complicates and obscures the real question at issue. It not only makes for prejudice at the expense of Castro but envelops Bowen in a cloud of injurious misunderstanding. I have already explained in my correspondence with THE TRIBUNE that the two men have fallen out over an entirely different matter—it might almost be described as a purely personal matter.

Not Due to Asphalt Affair.

Unless Mr. Bowen has changed his mind entirely within the immediate past—which I do not and cannot believe—he still thinks that the asphalt people deserve all they have received at Castro's hands, and more. His grievance is wide of the asphalt mark, though I do not feel at liberty to give it in detail. No doubt he has presented the so-called American claims as instructed by the state department. That he was bound to do in any event. But the special Venezuelan representative, Dr. José de Jesus Paul, did not, on the occasion of his conference with President Roosevelt yesterday, allege any offense on this score. He contented himself with saying simply that the contentions and misunderstandings which have arisen as between the two governments might be composed much more expeditiously if the United States were represented at Caracas by some one whose personal relations with President Castro were harmonious or at least not strained.

This defines the situation as I understand it and as it no doubt really is. There is no sort of cause for international disagreement. It simply happens that a private friction interferes with the much desired international entente.

I know nothing at all of Castro. Whatever impressions I entertain concerning him have been derived from Mr. Bowen, whom I regard as one of the ablest men in our diplomatic service, and who at one time held Castro in high esteem and confidence. But it is to be hoped for the sake of all concerned that Mr. Bowen will soon be released from an embarrassing and distasteful position and the way thus opened for a dignified and speedy composition of our misunderstandings with Venezuela. Mr. Bowen himself earnestly desires this, and so much is manifestly due him.

Raisuli and the Kaiser.

The German emperor's visit to Morocco is entertaining enough as it is, but when we hear that the native cavalcade in the procession of honor is to be led by Raisuli, the brigand who kidnaped Perdicaris last year and got $50,000 for ransom, the occasion takes on new aspects of amusement.

The country still remembers, no doubt, the sensation caused by the abduction of that alleged American citizen and the honest relief experienced by the American people when they heard that his valuable person had been recovered intact. Surely it will appeal to the popular sense of humor to find Raisuli now occupying a position of distinction in the pageant ordained in celebration of the kaiser's visit to Morocco.

But they are queer people on the other side. When, for example, Miss Stone, the Boston missionary, was captured by Bulgarian bandits and held until somebody put up $100,000 for her release, we were astounded to learn not long afterwards that the enterprise was purely political, and that the ransom money had been turned into the fund of the Macedonian committee for the purpose of conducting agitation against Turkey.

Brigandage Loses Its Terrors.

Miss Stone was kindly treated, just as Perdicaris was—in fact, Perdicaris subsequently told an interviewer in Paris that he had never enjoyed himself more during the whole course of his somewhat mysterious career—from all of which it seems reasonable to conclude that they manage things differently, if not better, in the eastern hemisphere.

With us, kidnapers are regarded as outlaws. Over there they seem to be highly respected participants in the game. The Macedonian committee is a recognized force in continental politics, receiving help and encouragement from such ultra-civilised people as the English, and now comes Raisuli, the captor of Perdicaris, chosen by the sultan of Morocco to lead a division of the carnival pageantry in honor of William II. of Germany, perhaps the greatest war lord and statesman of Europe.

Fitzhugh Lee's Smile.

Meeting Gen. Fitzhugh Lee on the street today and observing the smiles that mantled his honest face reminded me of the earnest, sympathetic help he has had from President Roosevelt in the matter of the Jamestown exposition, fixed for 1907. But for the president's stanch if not aggressive cooperation, our Virginia friends would hardly have secured from congress the encouragement indispensable to success in any proper meaning of the word.

The idea, however, appealed to Roosevelt. When he heard Fitzhugh Lee's explanation and understood that the proposed celebration of the landing of the first English colony on American shores would constitute a radical departure from the accepted exposition scheme, he at once gave it his support and sympathy.

It is hardly necessary to say, of course, that the exposition business has been sadly overdone. The Chicago fair exhausted all the possibilities in that line, and none of its successors has afforded us anything in the nature of a revelation of improvement. The St. Louis affair was a bigger thing in the sense of mere area and size, but it was not as beautiful or graceful, and the others, before or since, are hardly worth mentioning in the connection.

Great Army and Navy Spectacle.

But Gen. Lee proposes a novelty, and a mighty impressive and picturesque one at that. He proposes to locate the Jamestown exposition on the point of land which faces Hampton roads to the north and the Atlantic ocean to the east, and here he expects to assemble the American and British fleets together with a large representation of the armies of both nations. There will be some industrial features, naturally, but the dominating feature will be that of military displays, naval maneuvers, and impressive pageantry of that kind.

The spectators will not be herded in hot, overcrowded cities. They will be housed on the seashore, where the salt breezes temper the asperities of the day and make the night a luxury. Hampton roads, perhaps the finest and most spacious harbor in the world, can accommodate a dozen navies. The point of land overlooking both the roadstead and the ocean is big enough for a dozen expositions and the encampment of as many armies. And those who go there will see what has never been seen at any fair before and at the same time enjoy an outing at one of the most delightful of all seaside resorts.

English People Are Interested.

I happen to know, moreover, that Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, is quite as deeply interested in the matter as President Roosevelt is. He has had several conferences with Gen. Lee on the subject and fully understands that the event to be celebrated was an English enterprise in every sense of the word. English brawn, courage, brains, and devotion rescued this fair land from the wilderness.

The men who laid the foundations of the future republic were Englishmen. And it is true of Sir Mortimer, as of no other British representative ever sent to this country, that he is keenly alive to the significance of these facts and instinct with a sympathetic pride in their development.

It would not surprise me at all to find England contributing her full share to the Jamestown exposition, and in that event it will be well worth seeing, if only as a patriotic and sentimental spectacle—quite apart from all other considerations, though they will assert themselves in great abundance.

WHY DUNNE SHOULD BE DEFEATED.

In promising "immediate municipal ownership," Judge Dunne is holding out something he knows, or ought to know, is impossible to acquire. Thousands of ill informed voters will support him with the expectation that the city, upon his election as mayor, will at once come into possession of the car lines. He is promising more than he can deliver. Therefore, Judge Dunne should be defeated.

In this proposition to pay the traction companies a "fair, liberal, and full price" for all their tangible property and franchise rights he favors J. Pierpont Morgan and not the city by enabling Wall street to sell franchise rights to the city for many millions of dollars, when these same rights were given to the traction companies without money and without price. In addition to the fair, liberal, and full price the city would have to expend $40,000,000 to $50,000,000 to reconstruct the lines. This would make a capitalization so large that the city could not meet the interest charge, the operating expenses, the cost of maintenance, and provide a sinking fund to pay off the mortgage. Bankruptcy would quickly follow, or the rate of fare would have to be raised to 6 or 7 cents.

Notwithstanding this condition the optimistic judge holds out a prospect of a reduced fare as a bait to catch votes, when he knows, or ought to knew, a reduced fare is impossible.

Judge Dunne's plan would cost the city $50,000,000 more than it ought to, and more than the lines are worth. Therefore, Judge Dunne should be defeated.

If the street car lines are to be bought the city should get them as cheaply as possible. Why offer in advance to pay Morgan and his associates a "full, fair, and liberal" amount for a lot of junk and a lot of franchise rights, the latter of which the city donated to the company without any cost except the grafters' fees. Shall we buy back this watered stock and pay good, hard dollars for it? Under the conditions proposed by Judge Dunne, municipal

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AMONG THE NEW BOOKS.

REVIEWS OF CURRENT PUBLICATIONS.

ANDREW D. WHITE'S MEMOIRS.

Reviewed by Jeannette L. Gilder, Editor of the Critic.

THAT the "AUTOBIOGRAPHY" of the Hon. Andrew D. White (Century company) would be an interesting book there could be no doubt, but that it should be as interesting to the "general reader" as it is will surprise many who belong to that numerous class. In his sketches and impressions of the public men he has known Mr. White speaks especially of James G. Blaine, who he says "was certainly the most fascinating man I have ever known in politics. No wonder that so many republicans in all parts of the country seemed ready to give their lives to elect him. The only other public man in the United States whose personality had ever elicited such sympathy and devotion was Henry Clay." Mr. White seems to have had an unusually high opinion of Senator Platt, who, he says, never tried to drive any political bargain with him.

When we get Mr. White into diplomacy his life becomes the most interesting. Of the present emperor of Russia he says:

When I talked with this youth before he came to the throne, and saw how little he knew of his own empire—how absolutely unaware he was that the famine was continuing for a second year in various important districts, there resounded in my ears, as so often at other times, the famous words of Oxenstiern to his son, "Go forth, my son, and see with how little wisdom the world is governed."

Pity to say it, the European sovereign to whom Nicholas II. can be most fully compared is Charles IX. of France, under the influence of his family and men and women courtiers and priests, authorizing the massacre of St. Bartholomew. The punishment to be meted out to him and his house is sure.

As I revise these lines, we see another exhibition of the same weakness and folly. The question between Russia and Japan could have been easily and satisfactorily settled in a morning talk by any two business men of average ability; but the dominant clique has forced on one of the most terrible wars in history, which bids fair to result in the greatest humiliation Russia has ever known.

Of De Plehve Mr. White says that when he knew him as undersecretary in the interior department of the Russian government, he was impressed by his insight, vigor, and courtesy. "It was therefore a surprise to me when, on becoming a full minister, he bloomed out as a most bitter, cruel, and evidently short sighted reactionary. The world stood amazed at the murderous cruelties against the Jews at Kisheneff, which he might easily have prevented; and nothing more cruel or short-sighted than his dealings with Finland has been known since Louis XIV. revoked the edict of Nantes. I can only explain his course by supposing that he sought to win the favor of the reactionary faction, which up to the present time has controlled the czar, and thus to fight his way toward the highest power."

A chapter of this autobiography is devoted to the author's recollections of Pobedonostseff. Of this extraordinary man Mr. White has much to say. He seems to be a sort of Jekyll and Hyde. At home in his own library Mr. White found him to be—

A scholarly, kindly man, ready to discuss the subjects which I brought before him, and showing a wide interest in public affairs. There were few, if any, doctrines, either political or theological, which we held in common, but he seemed inclined to meet the wishes of our government as fully and as early as he could; and thus was begun one of the most interesting acquaintances I have ever made.

The most curious, indeed, the most amazing revelation of the man I found in his love for American literature. He is a wide reader; and, in the whole breadth of his reading, American authors were evidently among those he preferred. Of these his favorites were Hawthorne, Lowell, and, above all, Emerson. Curious, indeed, was it to learn that this "arch persecutor," this "Torquemada of the nineteenth century," this man whose hand is especially heavy upon Catholics and Protestants and dissenters throughout the empire, whose name is spoken with abhorrence by millions within the empire and without it, still reads, as his favorite author, the philosopher of Concord. He told me that the first book which he ever translated into Russian was Thomas à Kempis' "Imitation of Christ"; and of that he gave me the Latin original from which he made his translation, with a copy of the translation itself. But he also told me that the next book he translated was a volume of Emerson's "Essays," and he added that for years there had always lain open upon his study table a volume of Emerson's writings.

One of the most interesting chapters in this most interesting book is devoted to "Walks and Talks with Tolstoi," whom Mr. White found to be in some respects all that his admirers claim that he is, and at the same time a man with "unfortunate limitations." "For," says Mr. White, "who will not be skeptical as to the value of any criticism by a man who pours contempt over the pictures of Puvis de Chavannes, stigmatizes one of Beethoven's purest creations as 'corrupting,' and calls Shakspeare a 'scribbler'!

Nothing can be more genuine than his manner; there is no posing, no orating, no phrasemaking; a quiet earnestness pervades all his utterances. The great defect in him arises, as I have already said, from a peculiarity in the development of his opinions—namely; that during so large a part of his life he has been wont to discuss subjects with himself and not with other men; that he has, therefore, come to worship idols of his own creation, and often unsubstantial idols, and to look with misgiving and distrust on the ideas of others. Rarely during our conversations did I hear him speak with any real enthusiasm regarding any human being; his nearest approach to it was with reference to the writings of the Rev. Adin Ballou, when he declared him the foremost literary character that America has produced. A result of all this is that when he is driven into a corner his logic becomes so subtle as to be imperceptible, and he is likely to take refuge in paradoxes.

In discussing American literature with Mr. White, Tolstoi expressed a liking for Emerson, Hawthorne, and Whittier. When asked who, in the whole range of American literature, he thought the foremost, he replied that the greatest of American writers was—Adin Ballou! "Evidently," says Mr. White, "some of the philanthropic writings of that excellent Massachusetts country clergyman and religious communist had pleased him, and hence came the answer."

I think I have quoted enough from these two volumes to show their unusual interest, and I can say with perfect truth that the half has not been told, or quoted. No more entertaining book has appeared within the last twelve months.

JEANNETTE L. GILDER.

FARCICAL "LADY PENELOPE."

Morley Roberts' Novel Reviewed by Ella W. Peattie.

MORLEY ROBERTS has been reading Bernard Shaw. If he had not been, he would never have written "LADY PENELOPE" (L. C. Page & Co., Boston). It is a mad fantasia, and so exasperating a contrast to Mr. Roberts' previous novel that the reader has the sulks from the outset—at least one reader did—and was determined not to yield to the man's cajoleries and farcicalities. Finally, however, he becomes too much for the gravity even of the most depressed, and there is nothing for it but to laugh.

The story is that of Lady Penelope, who was beautiful, independent, and original, and who had a fatal way of thinking things out as if she had been born on Mars or some other remote place where she had been kept in ignorance of earth traditions. She had, like her namesake of old, many lovers, and she liked them all, but was convinced that marriage was an affair of a strictly private character, and that the world at large was not entitled to stare at a woman and make her a part of a tawdry pageant at the solemn hour of her marriage. Lady Penelope had something of the disposition of a queen bee. That is to say, she wished to find a lover worthy of her, and was willing that nature, society, time, and circumstance should combine in his education. She therefore set her lovers to educating each other, choosing the poet to mitigate the athlete, the French marquis with ballooning tendencies to ameliorate the Jew financier, etcetera, etcetera. And at last, secretly, she made her choice, married her man, vanished from society, created an international scandal, and, quite naively and joyously, had a little son, the paternal relative of which she considered none of the business of society.

Well, there's a terrible time, with bishops and butlers and automobiles, and boys and ideas and babies in sad confusion! The trail of Shaw is over it all, anu it's all quite delicious in its way. But it's best to think of it as a whim on the part of the author, and one which he will not soon repeat. For really, to come from the high memory of "Rachel Marr" to the gay trivialities of "Lady Penelope," is, if Mr. Roberts will pardon me for saying so, something like leaving "Parsifal" for a clever vaudeville.

Gertrude Atherton has dedicated "THE BELL IN THE FOG" to Mr. Henry James. (It is to be hoped Mr. James is glad!) And she has ventured to describe at some length a gentleman with the following characteristics—a gentleman named Orth: "Orth had left the United States soon after his first successes, and, his art being too great to be confounded with locality, he had long since ceased to be spoken of as an American author. All civilized Europe furnished stages for his puppets, and, if never picturesque nor impassioned, his originality was as overwhelming as his style. His subtleties might not always be understood—indeed, as a rule, they were not—but the musical mystery of his language and the penetrating charm of his lofty and cultivated mind induced raptures in the initiated, forever denied to those who failed to appreciate him. His following was not a large one, but it was distinguished. The aristocracies of the earth gave to it; and not to understand and admire Ralph Orth was deliberately to relegate one's self to the ranks." And there follows a charming story. The volume is made up of short stories which have appeared in the magazines; stories of unequal merit and a wide range of subject. Of these, "The Tragedy of a Snob" threatens to adhere most tenaciously to the memory. It is the study of a New York young man, poor, moral, hard working, who had "in him the germ of the picturesque, which in some natures shoots to high and full flowered ideals; in others to lofty and restless ambitions, coupled with a true love of art; and yet again develops a weed of tenacious root and coarse enduring fiber, which a clever maker of words has named "snobbery."

Andrew Webb, the clerk, fell in love with the glamour of the great world, read the society columns until he knew all the famous ones, dined once a month at Delmonico's, and secretly related himself to these remote personages of the "four hundred." By a chance a fortune came to him. He went with it to Newport, rented bachelor apartments, attended the Casino balls, and made his puny effort to attain to recognition. But "he and his companions might have been invisible intruders for all the notice the elect took of them." "Had he been a baboon from Central Africa his chances would have been better. He would at least have compelled their attention."

The author permits herself a bit of moralising; and so pertinent is it that it is worth quoting: "Those whose hearts have been convulsed by the bitterness of love, by the loss of children, by the downfall of great hopes, may read with scorn this suffering of a snob. It may seem a mean and trivial emotion. But he has had scant opportunity to study his kind who knows nothing of the power of the snob to suffer. An artist may toil on unrecognized, yet with the deep delight of his art as compensation. A man in public life may be stung with a thousand bitter defeats, but he has the joy of the fight, the self-respect of legitimate ambition. But for the repeated defeats of even the successful snob, what compensation? Step by step he climbs, to find another still to mount, each briathing with obstacles to which he yields the shreds and patches of his self-respect."

There are other stories which do not carry their moral and which may commend themselves more strongly to the critic of style, but the pathos of the weeping snob, white faced and broken, unrecognized and solitary, remains imprinted in the memory as a creature of abject misery, and one who has never before, perhaps, received the sympathetic delineation by a writer of talent. (Harper & Bros., New York.)

"THE PROBATIONER" is the title of a book of short stories by Herman Whitaker, who writes of "the blizzard swept regions of the great Canadian northwest." Some of the stories are of contemporary times, some are sagas of days that are past. All are rugged tales, told with a strong simplicity. Mr. Whitaker likes the picturesque, and the part of the world of which he writes offers it in plenty. A number of the tales should have received more detailed treatment, but were evidently forced into the arbitrary compass of the short story. Of them all, "A Drummer of the Queen" is perhaps the most stirring. It is the tale of a boy drummer marching with the Winnipeg regiments at the time of the Riel rebellion. Captured by Riel and placed in the rifle pits with the insurgents, the boy saw his own regiment coming on, pressing forward in spite of the reluctance of the officers to let them venture, and at the critical moment Patsy, the drummer boy, who chanced to have the bugle, was commanded by the halfbreed whom Riel had instructed to put his bugle to the loophope and sound the retreat. But Patsy was the son and the grandson of soldiers of the line, men who had worn the British uniform under Indian suns, and he did not know the Retreat as well as the Charge. At least, that was what he sounded, and as his regiment, with howls of joy, rushed on they saw Patsy on the parapet, dancing with delight; then saw him shot down by the halfbreed.

"'Who ordered those men to charge?' exclaimed the general when the wild yell rose to the hill.

"'No one, sir,' replied his chief of staff.

"But the men of the Nineteenth know who ordered that charge. Orders and decoration, knighthoods and crosses, rewarded the men on the hill for the great deeds they had—not done. And Patsy also got his cross. Before the men of the Nineteenth returned to their lonely prairie farms they placed a wooden cross at the head of a little grave; and deep in the wood the loving hands of the long bugler cut Patsy's name, a bugle, and the regimental arms of the Nineteenth."

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CLEARINGS BREAK RECORD

MARCH FIGURES LARGEST FOR ANY INDIVIDUAL MONTH.

Further Applications for Japanese Loan to Be Rejected by Kuhn, Loeb & Co.—February Railway Earnings Make a Poor Showing—Central Trust Company Stock Scores an Advance—Chicago Title and Trust Shows Weakness.

Local bank clearings for March were $865,506,583, being the largest for any single month in the history of the clearing house. The largest previous total was for December, 1904, when the figures were $859,788,770. The increase for March over the corresponding month last year was $100,999,162, or 13.3 per cent.

For the first three months of the calendar year clearings were $257,005,649, or 11.8 per cent in excess of the corresponding period in 1904.

The explanation of the increase in exchanges is to be found in the improved business in the territory tributary to Chicago. Western and northwestern bankers have increased their deposits at this center, and the continued growth of wealth in the west occasions increased business and personal expenditures in Chicago. The figures follow:

Jan.	$814,187,382	$729,587,780	$84,549,596	11.6
Feb.	741,647,694	670,190,800	71,456,894	10.7
March	865,506,533	764,594,371	100,999,162	13.2
3 mos	$2,421,200,609	$2,164,284,960	$257,005,649	11.8

Japanese 4½s.

Kuhn, Loeb & Co. announced yesterday they would have to reject all further applications for the Japanese loan, as many were being received yesterday. It is estimated that the applications for the loan will reach a total of almost $500,000,000, against $150,000,000 bonds to be awarded. It will take some time to make final allotments.

The London Statist in an article on Japan's future after the war is highly optimistic and believes the country's credit will rise with its prosperity. It says, among other things:

"But although Japan will have to borrow large sums, her credit will rise so decidedly that the time is not far distant when she will be able to borrow probably at 4 per cent. A power which has struck down Russia as Japan has done, which is about to increase her territories so largely, and to dominate China, clearly will have a right to expect to borrow on the usual terms accepted by great powers.

"Already, indeed, even the continent is changing its opinion respecting Japan, not only from the military but also from the financial point of view. This is proved by the fact that there have been this week large dealings both in Paris and Berlin in the new Japanese 6 per cent internal loan, although the government has not introduced the loan in Europe, and does not intend to do so."

Evidently the view of the Statist is shared by financial London, otherwise the rush to buy the new 4½ per cent bonds would not have been so general. And if the prediction be correct that Japan will be able to borrow on a 4 per cent basis it will mean a price above par for the 4½ per cent loan just issued. London buyers, therefore, are expecting handsome profits in the bonds which are being purchased at 87½.

Bank Statement Forecast.

Known movements of money this week indicate an apparent net loss in cash by the banks of $4,210,800. They gained on balance from the interior $306,200, but having lost $4,077,000 to the subtreasury the net result is as indicated.

But what the bank statement will show cannot be told by the known movements of money. Should there be a decrease in deposits or a contraction in loans, the cash movement would be offset.

Financial Notes.

Speyer & Co. announce they are prepared to exchange their temporary certificates for Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway first and refunding mortgage 4 per cent bonds for the definite bonds upon the surrender of the certificates at their office.

Outside of orders for railway equipment exceeding $175,000,000 for delivery in 1905 steel rails alone are said to figure $45,000,000, and it is predicted $20,000,000 more will be added to these figures in the course of the year.

Decrease in Railway Earnings.

February earnings of both northern and southern lines are making poor showings. St. Paul figures for the month set forth a decrease of $99,621 in gross. Operating expenses also decreased, so that the net loss was about one-third that of the gross.

The southern roads made some poor statements. Mobile and Ohio gross decreased over $129,000, or about 30 per cent. The southern railroad system decreased 10 per cent in gross. Alabama Southern and Georgia Southern also decreased. Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas, on the other hand, showed a small gain in gross.

Following are figures of roads reporting yesterday:

ST. PAUL RAILWAY.

	Earnings.	Increase.
February gross	$ 3,311,570	$ *99,621
Expenses and taxes	2,590,377	*47,280
Net	721,173	*52,341
From July 1—		
Gross	33,588,954	321,085
Expenses and taxes	1,258,932	156,191
Net	12,330,021	165,474

BIG FOUR.

February gross	1,495,774	30,987
Expenses	1,321,832	80,909
Net	173,942	*49,042
Deficit	148,037	55,528
For two months—		
Gross	3,110,591	277,364
Expenses	2,899,558	45,776
Net	211,033	231,585
Deficit	129,524	*194,398

GEORGIA SOUTHERN.

February gross	140,310	*$9,654
Expenses	110,491	*267
Net	29,819	*9,387
From July 1—		
Gross	1,165,150	1,430
Expenses	867,587	18,842
Net	287,863	*12,412

MOBILE AND OHIO.

February gross	554,531	*120,110
Expenses	417,544	*7,990
Net	136,987	*21,141
From July 1—		
Gross	5,403,834	158,528
Expenses	3,620,770	121,510
Net	1,780,066	37,018

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM.

February gross	3,411,850	268,044
Expenses	2,639,951	*118,628
Net	771,919	*249,476
From July 1—		
Gross	32,072,798	1,521,798
Expenses	22,901,981	122,359
Net	5,780,966	390,410

ALABAMA GREAT SOUTHERN.

February gross	216,273	*43,606
Expenses	184,767	*30,306
Net	30,506	*13,303
From July 1—		
Gross	2,167,418	91,916
Expenses	1,767,020	15,328
Net	400,392	*50,608

CINCINNATI, NEW ORLEANS AND TEXAS PACIFIC.

February gross	541,067	18,774
Expenses	408,421	15,979
Net	132,646	2,796
From July 1—		
Gross	4,845,118	387,255
Expenses	3,719,149	256,068
Net	1,124,449	101,223

*Decrease.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Can	1,300	11¾	11¾	11¼	11½
Do pfd	300	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾
Beth. Steel	100	34	34	34	34
B. C. Copper	1,400	8	8	7¾	7¾
B. C. R. rights	1,000	1¼	1¼	1	1
Do new stock	200	52	52	52	52
Chi. Subway	300	53¾	54	53¾	54
C. S. Copper	800	22¾	23	22¾	23
G. N. Gold	500	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Int. Marine	100	35	35	35	35
Interboro	1,000	206¾	207	206	206
Int. rights	5,600	2	2	2	2
Mont. & B.	1,000	1¾	1¾	1 1-16	1 1-16
Nor. Sec	10,000	161¾	161¾	160¾	160¾
Do rights	7	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
Standard Oil	92	614½	619	614½	619
U. S. Lea., w. i.	1,400	45¾	46¾	45¾	46
Do pfd	1,950	98¼	98¾	98	98¾
United Copper	11,000	12	13¼	12	13¼
Do pfd	1,200	65	65½	65	65¾

BONDS.

$15000 Atch. 4s, w. i.	102¾	102¾	102¾
$5000 Colo. Ind. 4s	77¾	77¾	77¾
$150000 Jap. new 4½s, w. i.	88¾	88¾	88½
$16000 Mo. Pac. 5s, w. i.	95	95	95
$30000 U S Lead 5s, w. i.	97½	97½	97½

*And int.

Closing Bid and Asked Prices.

	Bid.	Asked.
American Writing Paper	6	6
Do pfd	33½	34
Bay State Gas	¾	¾
Compressed Air	¾	¾
Electric Boat	27	29
Do pfd	70	82
Electro Pneumatic	¾	¾
Electric Vehicle	12	14
Do pfd	29	40
Havana Tobacco	31	32
Do pfd	39	41
Int. Mercantile Marine, com	13¾	13¾
Manhattan Transit	¾	¾
U. S. Ex. Wh. Trans	¾	¾
Otis Elevator	49	49
Do pfd	105	106
Pittsburg & Bessemer	23	28
Do pfd	68	75
Royal Baking Powder pfd	107	110
Seaboard Air Line	18¾	19¾
Do pfd	35	38
Tenn. Copper	20¼	20
Union St. Ry., St. Louis, pfd	89	94¾
Safety	290	300
Coupler	20	90
Do pfd	120	125
K. C. Light	24½	27
Do pfd	83½	86
Bethlehem pfd	87	88

Foreign Exchange.

The market for sterling was firm and higher, with a fair inquiry for remittances. Actual rates at the close were quoted as follows:

Bankers' sixty days	4.84¼@4.84¾
Bankers' sight	4.86@4.86 3-16
Cable transfers	4.86 7-16@4.86 9-16
Documents for payment	4.83¾@4.84¼
Ninety days on bankers	4.82¼@4.82¾
Commercial sight	4.85@4.85 1-16

Continentals were a little more active. Bankers' sight francs closed at 5.17½ less 1-32@5.17⅛; marks, 94 15-16@95; guilders, 40¼@40 3-16.

Following are the posted rates of the leading drawers of foreign exchange:

Sterling	4.86¼
Paris, francs	5.16¾
Berlin, reichsmarks	95¾
Amsterdam, florins	40¼
Zurich, francs	5.17½
Genoa, lire	5.17½
Antwerp, francs	5.17½
Stockholm, kroners	26.85
St. Petersburg, rubles	51.70
Vienna, kronen	20.35

Range of New York Exchange.

The appended table showing the range of New York exchange for March is compiled by W. G. Sturges. Where two quotations are given the first is the rate before and the second after clearings. The figures:

March.	Premium.	Discount.
1	15c	.....
2	15c	.....
3	15c	.....
4	10c	.....
5	par	.....
7	.....	5@10c
8	.....	10c
9	.....	15@30c
10	.....	5c
11	.....	par
12	.....	par
13	.....	20c
14	.....	10c
15	.....	10c
16	.....	10c
17	.....	10c@15c
18	.....	par
19	.....	par
20	.....	20c
21	15@20c	.....
22	.....	10c
23	.....	5c
24	5c@par	.....
25	par	.....
26	par	.....
28	par	.....
29	20@30c	.....
30	35@50c	.....
31	15@par	.....

Dividends Declared.

The Tonopah Mining company of Nevada has declared a dividend of 25c a share, payable April 22. Books close April 12, reopen May 3. This is the first dividend ever declared on the stock.

The Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company declared a dividend of $1.25 per share, payable April 25. Books close April 14, reopen April 30.

The Toledo Railways and Light company has declared a dividend of 1 per cent, payable May 1. Books close April 15 and reopen May 2.

Local Bank Stocks.

Central Trust company new stock sold yesterday at 175, an advance of about 3 points based on Thursday's prices for the old stock.

American Trust stock sold at 281. There is little offering. Federal Trust sold at 191.

Chicago Stocks.

Chicago Title and Trust showed some weakness on the local exchange yesterday, due to announcement of the new opposition, the Lawyers' company, which will enter the field about June. The Title and Trust company, however, is reported having a good business and participating to the full extent in improvements shown in the Chicago real estate market.

There was nothing doing in the street railroad shares. The business of the Chicago City railway company for March is reported to have shown a substantial gain.

There was much activity in Boxboard preferred, the buying being credited to New York account. Local people usually in touch with Boxboard affairs were not in the market.

American Can and National Biscuit stocks were steady. In the bond department Pneumatic Tool 5s sold off ½. At the meeting of the directors of the company at which dividends were resumed, President Duntley said the gain in the volume of business of the company was equal to 77 per cent compared with a year ago. This is a large increase, being a trifle better than any of the previous optimistic statements that have characterized official announcements. Last year, according to then authoritative statements, the business was better than it had ever been. But announcements as to increases in earnings by the Tool company have come to be regarded as ebullitions of humor rather than serious statements of fact.

The following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday:

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	520	11	11¾	11	11¾
Do pfd	275	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾
Am. Shipbuilding	50	56	56	56	56
Chicago Subway	200	53	53¾	53	53¾
Chi. Title & Trust	50	100	100	100	100
Diamond Match	21	139	139	138	139
Illinois Brick pfd.	10	69	69	69	69
Knickerbocker Ice	200	18	18	18	18
Metropolitan El	50	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾
National Biscuit	1,188	60	61	60	61
Do pfd	102	119¾	119¾	119¼	119¼
Quaker Oats	250	69¼	71	69¼	71
Do pfd	50	94½	94¾	94¼	94¾
South Side El	100	96	96	96	96
Street's S. Car pfd.	127	101¾	102	101¾	101¾
Swift & Co	40	108¾	109	108¾	109
United Boxboard	250	2¾	2¾	2¼	2¼
Do pfd	3,448	17	17¾	17	17¾
Western Stone	325	82	86	82	85¾

BONDS.

$3000 C Pneu Tool 5s	78¾	$ 5000 N W El 4s	95
2000 do	78¾	10000 do	94¾
2000 do	78	2000 W Chi con 5s	87
6000 Met El ext 4s	89¾		

Clearings in Chicago yesterday were $30,532,579.

New York exchange sold yesterday in Chicago at 15c premium before clearing and after clearing at par.

IN FOREIGN MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON, March 31.—Money was in active month end demand in the market today. A number of calls and dividend distribution were responsible for considerable displacements. Discounts were a shade weaker in expectation of easier money. Trading on the stock exchange was quiet and cheerful. The heavy settlement was concluded without difficulties and closed featureless. Consols hardened and home rails recovered from their recent depression. Americans opened irregular with fractional parity changes and improvement during the forenoon on fair support. Pennsylvania was in good demand on the new bond issue. The dealings were slight. Prices closed firm. Foreigners were steady. Russians and continentals hesitated. Venezuelans and Colombians were cheerful in anticipation of a settlement of the external debts of Venezuela and Colombia. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 105¾.

BERLIN, March 31.—Trading on the boerse today generally was active.

PARIS, March 31.—The tone on the bourse today was firm owing to the easy settlement. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 89.20 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 503.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF AMERICAN SECURITIES IN LONDON

	Thursday, 4 p. m.	Friday, 4 p. m.	N. Y. equiv.	Thursday's N.Y. close.
Atchison	90¾	90¾	87¾	87¾
Do pfd	106¾	106¾	102½	102½
Balt. & Ohio	111¾	111¾	107¾	107¾
Can. Pacific	152¾	152¾	148	148
Ches. & Ohio	59½	59¾	57¾	57¾
Chi. Gt. West	24	24¼	23¼	23¼
C. M. & St. P.	180¾	180	175	175
Den. & Rio G.	34½	34½	33¼	.....
Erie	47¼	46¾	45	45¼
Do 1st pfd	82¾	82¾	80¼	80½
Do 2d pfd	68	69¼	67¼	67¼
Ill. Central	104½	104	100¾	159¾
Louis. & Nash.	145¾	145	141¼	141¼
M., K. & T.	31¾	32	31¼	31½
N. Y. Central	169¾	169	163¾	163¾
Nor. & West.	87¾	87¾	85¼	85¼
Ont. & West	65	65¼	63¼	63
Pennsylvania	72¾	73¾	142¾	142¾
Reading	45¾	45¾	94¾	93¾
Do 1st pfd	47	47	91¾	92
Do 2d pfd	46¾	46¾	90	.....
Southern Ry	25	25¼	34¾	34½
Do pfd	100	99¾	96¾	96¾
Southern Pac.	69¾	69¾	67¾	67¾
Union Pacific	133	133¾	129¾	129¾
Do pfd	102¾	102	99¼	99¼
U. S. Steel	36¾	36¾	35¾	35¾
Do pfd	98¾	98¾	96¾	96¾
Wabash	24	24¼	23¼	23¼
Do pfd	48¾	48	46¾	46¾

Consols, 91 5-16; New York equivalent, 91¼.

MEET TO DEMAND PURE FOOD.

Members of Executive Committee of National Association of Commissioners Convene.

Members of the executive committee of the National Association of State Dairy and Food Departments arrived yesterday for a meeting at the Great Northern hotel today. For some months the time of the committee has been engrossed in matters relating to legislation for the bottling in bond of spirituous liquors, and the efforts will be directed toward more vigorous investigation of the laws and their enforcement looking toward pure milk and food.

TRADE HOLDS ITS GAIN.

BANK EXCHANGES SHOW PROGRESS IS WELL MAINTAINED.

Total for March Is 13 Per Cent Larger than Year Ago—Seasonable Weather Improves Business—Heavy Demands Are Made on the Leading Productive Lines—Railway Earnings Show Improvement Over February's Report.

The Weekly Review of Chicago Trade, published by R. G. Dun & Co., the mercantile agency, will say:

Bank exchanges as a measure of the volume of trade emphasize well maintained progress. A satisfactory gain is seen over the corresponding week last year, and the total for March, $865,505,533, is fully 13 per cent larger than for March, 1904, and the greatest monthly aggregate this year.

Financial conditions generally are in good shape, excessive speculation being absent. Money now exhibits a decided tendency toward larger employment. Seasonable weather proved an incentive to business operations.

New demands have been large in the leading productive lines and this has forced unusual consumption of raw material.

Railroad earnings show much better than for February and testify to extraordinary movement of commodities of all kinds.

Agricultural reports were more uniformly agreed as to the excellent condition of growing crops and considerable advance was made in farm work. Country buyers appeared in greater number than formerly known.

Jobbing Trade Kept Busy.

Transactions in the jobbing division attained proportions exceeding those of the previous week, and bookings promise to mount to new record figures in the dry goods departments, and in clothing and footwear.

Iron and steel producers made large additions to orders on hand and capacity in this district now is almost wholly engaged for the next seven months and rail mills for the entire year. Building trades agreements were ratified, and this at once released heavy orders for woodwork, stone, cement and builders' hardware. Receipts of lumber were 35,232,000 feet, against 34,352,000 feet last week and 29,584,000 feet a year ago.

In the Grain Market.

Grain receipts aggregated 6,155,941 bushels, against 6,401,876 bushels last week, and 3,350,575 bushels a year ago. The shipments were 3,417,958 bushels, an increase of 29 per cent over those a year ago. Prices compared with the closings last week show slight declines in corn and oats, wheat holding steady.

Bank clearings, $175,465,000, exceed those of a year ago by 6 to 7 per cent. The demand for money has become more active, and few commercial loans were negotiated at less than 4½ per cent.

Failures reported in the Chicago district number 25, against 24 last week, and 22 a year ago.

All Lines Show Expansion.

New York, March 31.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Trade grows more satisfactory, continued high temperature accelerating distribution in all leading lines. Results for the first quarter of 1905 proved even more favorable than was anticipated when the year opened. Freight congestion has followed the heavy shipment of spring merchandise, and railway earnings in three weeks of March were 8.2 per cent larger than 1904. Official returns make the cotton crop fully a third larger than the one preceding, and still prices are far from demoralized. Buyers are arriving in large numbers at the leading jobbing centers. There is less ice in the lakes than at this time last year, but another week is needed to restore navigation. International markets improve as conclusion of the war seems imminent. Foreign commerce at this port for the last week showed a gain of $2,404,617 in imports and a decrease of $817,924 in exports, as compared with 1904.

A steady demand is noted in all departments of the iron and steel industry, orders constantly coming forward, and most plants are assured of activity for many months. Mild weather improves the quality of hides, especially from the southwest, and the tone of the market is decidedly firmer. New England footwear factories are receiving a fair amount of new business. Woolen and worsted duplicate trade is quiet.

Failures this week numbered 244 in the United States, against 208 last year, and 33 in Canada, compared with 16 a year ago.

West Leads in Activity.

Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Relatively most activity in trade is still noted at the west. Signs of improvement are noted at the south, though here the cotton situation is still a drawback. All the usual lines of distributive trade, such as dry goods, clothing, shoes and millinery, feel the stimulus of spring demand, while enlarging building activity is reflected in better inquiry for lumber, hardware, paints and oils. Prices of commodities, aside from those affected by weather, note marked firmness; particular strength is shown in iron and steel in all its forms.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending March 30 are 988,630 bushels against 1,044,595 bu last week. Corn exports are 2,430,652 bu against 2,976,836 bu last week. From July 1 to date the exports of corn are 57,478,837 bu against 46,506,268 bu in 1904.

Bank Clearings of the Week.

The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week:

		Pct. inc.	Pct. dec.
*New York	$1,890,082,078	76.8	.....
*Chicago	175,998,028	8.4	.....
*Boston	137,421,399	29.5	.....
*Philadelphia	117,833,646	23.9	.....
*St. Louis	50,356,973	6.8	.....
Pittsburg	43,113,951	21.2	.....
*San Francisco	29,966,343	16.7	.....
Cincinnati	21,428,350	2.1	.....
*Baltimore	19,888,975	.....	1.3
*Kansas City	21,448,909	12.3	.....
*New Orleans	16,153,000	.....	14.4
*Minneapolis	16,346,001	30.6	.....
*Cleveland	14,092,455	18.9	.....
*Louisville	10,675,409	2.1	.....
Detroit	9,694,349	15.9	.....
*Milwaukee	6,716,594	.....	1.9
Omaha	7,863,103	7.8	.....
*Providence	6,153,700	9.9	.....
*Los Angeles	7,175,121	35.7	.....
*Buffalo	6,444,021	11.4	.....
Indianapolis	6,212,745	19.1	.....
*St. Paul	5,479,083	5.7	.....
Memphis	5,228,051	58.3	.....
*St. Joseph	4,175,119	.....	4.4
Richmond	4,430,059	16.3	.....
Denver	5,132,458	50.1	.....
Columbus	4,634,200	17.5	.....
Seattle	4,272,472	22.9	.....
*Washington	4,153,491	26.9	.....
*Savannah	2,220,794	.....	9.3
Albany	3,123,584	9.1	.....
*Portland, Ore.	3,567,457	2.4	.....
Fort Worth	5,912,862	171.1	.....
*Toledo, O.	5,046,227	82.8	.....
Atlanta	2,925,740	10.1	.....
Salt Lake City	2,562,741	21.0	.....
Rochester	2,407,532	16.9	.....
Peoria	2,670,883	11.6	.....
Hartford	2,686,655	22.6	.....
*Nashville	2,882,469	40.3	.....
*Spokane, Wash.	2,371,782	22.5	.....
Des Moines	2,391,653	20.2	.....
Tacoma	2,526,466	40.6	.....
New Haven	1,895,206	4.2	.....
Grand Rapids	1,698,587	23.7	.....
Portland, Me.	1,763,216	6.7	.....
Springfield, Mass.	1,726,498	10.6	.....
Worcester	1,317,505	6.2	.....
Evansville	1,247,508	.....	.9
Wilmington, Del.	1,313,210	25.2	.....
Sioux City	1,129,422	8.0	.....
†Birmingham	1,631,994	33.5	.....
Syracuse	1,481,329	16.3	.....
Worcester	847,866	.....	44.7
Knoxville	1,327,520	56.8	.....
Charleston, S. C.	1,169,173	14.2	.....
Wilmington, Del.	1,269,688	14.3	.....
Wichita	976,987	.....	7.4
Williamsport	1,256,020	18.6	.....
Davenport	773,674	3.2	.....
Little Rock	841,382	.....	.4
Topeka	1,012,469	25.2	.....
Chattanooga	1,043,641	30.7	.....
Jacksonville, Fla.	812,000	17.1	.....
Kalamazoo, Mich.	1,083,083	48.2	.....
Springfield, Ill.	739,774	26.5	.....
Fall River	239,174	.....	63.1
Wheeling, W. Va.	732,332	16.3	.....
Macon	648,003	10.3	.....
Galveston	492,808	.....	58.6
Helena	441,672	.....	7.7
Lexington	757,160	.....	12.0
Akron	485,000	4.7	.....
Canton, O.	940,000	22.7	.....
Fargo, N. D.	464,244	48.7	.....
Youngstown	526,219	24.6	.....
New Bedford	459,893	23.4	.....
Rockford, Ill.	496,678	14.2	.....
Lowell	388,486	9.9	.....
Chester, Pa.	351,987	.....	12.4
Binghamton	371,500	4.5	.....
Bloomington, Ill.	297,800	1.7	.....
Springfield, O.	288,872	.....	14.3
Greensburg, Pa.	236,493	.....	17.0
Quincy, Ill.	448,344	59.3	.....
Decatur, Ill.	287,948	29.8	.....
Sioux Falls, S. D.	276,373	11.3	.....
Jacksonville, Ill.	211,514	.....	.....
Mansfield, O.	286,457	76.6	.....
Fremont, Neb.	198,655	21.2	.....
Cedar Rapids	427,573	20.3	.....
†Houston	11,997,584	10.2	.....
†Galveston	9,346,000	39.6	.....
Totals, U. S.	$2,734,996,084	66.2	.....
Outside New York	844,303,956	16.2	.....
CANADA.			
Montreal	$ 22,746,371	41.0	.....
Toronto	17,537,453	36.6	.....
Winnipeg	5,091,307	47.7	.....
Ottawa	2,063,068	22.6	.....
Halifax	1,574,934	3.8	.....
Vancouver, B. C.	1,270,869	13.9	.....
Quebec	1,203,183	17.1	.....
Hamilton	953,973	2.8	.....
St. John, N. B.	900,039	22.7	.....
London, Ont.	758,307	10.5	.....
Victoria, B. C.	578,331	3.2	.....
Totals, Canada	$ 54,563,607	35.0	.....

*Balances paid in cash.
†Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Dry goods—The market is without particular feature, and yet increased firmness is generally recognized and admitted. In certain directions more activity is in evidence, particularly from the south, where an improvement is regarded as especially favorable. Jobbers expect improvement next week from nearby trade with a continuance of warm weather.

Metals—Tin in London higher, closing at £128 10s for spot and £134 12s 6d for futures. Locally quiet but higher; spot closed at $30.00@30.15. Copper in London was a shade higher, closing at 107 7s 6d for spot and 107 10s 2d for futures. Locally unchanged, with lake quoted at $15.37½@15.50, electrolytic at $15.25@15.35, and casting at $14.87½@15.25. Lead was unchanged locally at $4.50@4.60. In London, £12 10s. Spelter in London was unchanged, closing at £23 15s. Locally at $6.00. Iron closed at 54s in Glasgow and 49s in Middlesboro. Locally the market was unchanged.

Butter—Firm, unchanged. Receipts, 2,812 pkgs. Butter in Philadelphia steadier; extra western creamery, 29@29½c; extra nearby prints, 32c.

Eggs—Easy. Receipts, 13,751 cases. State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white, fancy, 2c. Eggs in Philadelphia steady; nearby fresh, 16½c at mark; western fresh, 16½c at mark.

Poultry—Alive strong; western chickens, 12c; fowls, 15c; turkeys, 16c. Dressed irregular; western chickens, 10@12c; fowls, 14c; turkeys, 20c.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., March 31.—[Special.]—Amalgamated was almost the only stock which had life in Boston today and it was not particularly active. There was some selling of Daly West, but it was fairly firm. The only other coppers which showed signs of life were the United States Mining, Copper Range, and Trinity. Call loans, 3@5½ per cent. Time loans, collateral, 3¼@4½ per cent. Time loans, mercantile paper, 4 per cent. Clearing house loans, 2½ per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	70	5½	5½	5½	5½
Allouez	90	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Amal	6,195	70¾	70¾	70¼	70¼
Atlantic	300	16¼	16¾	16¼	16¾
Bingham	100	32	32	32	32
Centennial	1,500	17¼	17¼	17	17¼
Cop. Range	1,300	76½	76¾	76¾	76¾
Daly West	1,000	12¾	13½	12¾	12¾
Franklin	185	10½	10¾	10	10
Greene	245	25	25¼	25	25¼
Grnby	100	6	6	6	6
Guan	1,850	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Isle Royale	40	24¼	24¾	24¼	24¾
Michigan	480	14	14	13½	13½
Mohawk	10	53	53	53	53
Old Dom.	450	26	27	26	26¾
Parrot	20	28	28	28	28
Osceola	111	90	90½	90	90¼
Phenix	320	¾	1	¾	1
Quincy	5	105	105	105	105
Shannon	770	7¾	8	7¾	8
Santa Fé	50	3	3	3	3
Tamarack	395	127½	128	127½	128
Trinity	765	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
U. S. Mining	1,495	26¾	27	26¾	27
Utah	205	42¾	43¾	42¾	43¾
Victoria	200	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Winona	50	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Dom. I. & S.	235	23	23¼	23	23¼
Dom. Coal	615	84	86¾	85¾	86¾
East Boston	200	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Un. Land	250	3 5-16	3 5-16	3	3¼
Am. Agr.	645	25¾	26¾	25¾	26¾
Do pfd	148	90	90	90	90
Am. Pneu. pfd	60	22	22	22	22
Am. T. & T.	161	144	144¼	144	144¼
Mex. Phone	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Am. Wool	370	30	30¾	29¾	30
Do pfd., cash	75	109	109	109	109
Mass. Elec.	200	14½	14¾	14½	14¾
Do pfd	48	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Merg.	30	196½	196½	196½	196½
Swift	97	108¾	108¾	108¾	108¾
Seattle	5	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾
Do pfd	50	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
Bos. & W.	28	34½	34¾	34½	34½
Do pfd	12	80	80	80	80
B. & M.	20	180	180	180	180
Chi. Junct.	374	178	180	178	180
Do pfd	2	124	124	124	124
Mass. Elec.	785	22¼	22¼	21¾	22¼
Do pfd	70	60¼	60¼	60¼	60¼
*Un. Fruit	60	110	110	110	110
United Shoe	1,152	88	88	80¾	80¾
Do pfd	85	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
West End	150	97½	97½	97½	97½

*Ex. div.

SEES REAL "HAUNT" IN COURT.

BIG BULL DEAL IN CORN MARKET

Gates, Patten, and Other May Longs Add to Lines, but Rally Does Not Hold.

BEARS ARE PUGNACIOUS.

They Pound Prices on the Fine Weather—Wheat Loses Early Advances, Except in May.

Strength in wheat, light Argentine shipments, the effect of the large export business of the day before, and continued buying of May by the Bartlett-Patten-Gates party made a strong corn market for the greater part of the session, May rallying ¼c, to 47¾c.

The general impression in the trade that this bull interest has a long line of fully 10,000,000 bu, and possibly 50 per cent larger, gave its heavy buying increased importance in the eyes of sundry scattered shorts, and their covering helped the advance. Cash houses were buyers also, either against sales for shipment or taking off hedges.

The continued fine spring weather all over the corn belt, however, with its promise of early planting and a favorable start for the new crop, as well as of a lessened feeding demand for the old, made the leading local bears confident, and a late break in wheat was all the encouragement they needed to sound the market, their selling forcing a quick reaction toward the close. While May held part of its strength, closing at 47¼c bid, a net gain of ¼@¾c, July and September were steady to a shade easier, the result of heavy selling by the bull interest, which is disposed to keep an anchor to windward by having a hedge out against its May holdings.

Features of the Trade.

The buying of May was led by Bartlett-Frazier, who sold July and September against these purchases, but on the late break bought back some of the July. Nye-Jenks and the Rosenbaum Grain company were other buyers of May. Comstock and Crighton bought July. Kidston was a heavy seller of July, and Tuttle, Brosseau, and Irwin-Green led the selling of May. Receipts showed some falling off, 258 cars inspected in and 227 estimated. The sample market was strong, ½c to ⅝c higher. The export demand, however, did not follow the advance, foreign buyers apparently having either completely satisfied their demands the day before, or being disposed to wait for another break. Local shipping sales were 200,000 bu, including 125,000 bu to seaboard exporters. The seaboard reported export sales of only 48,000 bu. Clearances were only 200,000 bu, primary receipts 644,000 bu. Liverpool futures were ¼d to ⅝d lower. Argentine shipments were only 120,000 bu for the week, but Broomhall reported the export demand in Argentina dull.

Wheat Has a Final Dip.

Wheat prices had as hard a time keeping to an upward path as they had the day before keeping to a downward one. The market was given a strong start by general covering, induced mainly by strength at Minneapolis and Liverpool, and the theory a rally was due after an almost continuous decline of 10c, but shortly before the close some of the more hardy of the local bears started a selling movement of deferred futures, which broke rapidly and robbed the market of the early advance and a trifle more. July closed ½c lower for the day at 88⅝c, sellers, after selling at 89¼c, and September ¼c lower at 89c. May closed ⅝c higher at $1.13⅛ after selling at $1.14¼.

At the outset pit offerings were small, particularly of May, and prices responded quickly to covering by shorts. Prices held well until the last half hour, when local shorts had covered and some regained the courage of their convictions, putting out their short lines again.

Outside of the strength at Minneapolis the bull items consisted of a few claims of improved cash demand from Kansas City and the northwest markets, a decrease of 250,000 bu in stocks at Minneapolis, and 90,000 bu at Baltimore, and one of the well worn claims receipts in the northwest are about to decrease. Much smaller Argentine shipments, 1,616,000 bu, which were responsible for the bulge at Liverpool, reports of frost in India, and strength in corn gave some comfort to longs and induced some covering early.

Crop News Continues Bearish.

Crop conditions bordering on the ideal, however, dampened the ardor of buyers, and made them quick to turn. Both the Snow report and the Modern Miller spoke of bright prospects. Snow called the condition of the new crop 90, compared with 80.1 last year and 83.1 in December. The weather map showed favorable surroundings for wheat, and showers were predicted for Kansas and Nebraska.

The fact new wheat is not yet on a workable export basis also influenced sentiment. Receipts at the northwest points were 251 cars and at the primary markets 350,000 bu, and the trade was without comparisons owing to the holiday last year. Cash wheat sold slowly here, and no round lots were reported from any of the markets. Clearances at the seaboard were 193,000 bu and 988,000 bu for the week. Antwerp closed ⅝c higher, Buda-Pesth ⅝c higher, Berlin ⅛c higher, and Paris ⅜@1c lower.

Oats Give Way with Corn.

In oats there was a strong undertone until wheat and corn broke, when early buyers turned, selling the market off to within ⅛c of the previous close. The earlier advance had carried May ⅛c higher to 29¾c, shorts supplying the impetus. Favorable weather brought optimistic advices from the country as crop prospects. Cash prices were ¼c-¾c higher, with offerings small, and shipping demand showed improvement with a few houses, sales 175,000 bu. Receipts were 142 cars, and 110 are estimated for today. There were no clearances at the seaboard. There was fair buying by Congdon-Steever, Friedman, and Martin, Bartlett-Frazier sold July and bought May, and Logan-Bryan, Buckley and Tyle sold May.

Provision Advance Holds.

Provisions received their daily meed of support from the packers, and closed with gains of 5@10c in pork, 7½@7¾c in lard, and 5c in ribs. The advance of 5c in prices at the yards and smaller hog receipts than expected were added helps. The buying was mainly of ribs by Wolff, Roloson, and the Anglo, part of it credited to Armour. Logan-Bryan bought lard. Selling on the advance was scattered, some of it by Gregson. Local hog receipts were 20,000 head, and today 13,000 are expected. At the western markets there were 49,000 head, compared with 53,800 last week. Liverpool quoted Cumberland sides 6d higher. Cash demand was fair, showing some improvement for meats for export.

Rye, Barley, and Seeds.

Rye ruled steady, with futures stagnant at 79½c for both May and March. Car lots of No. 2 sold at 79c and No. 2 at 82@85c f. o. b. Receipts were 4 cars.

Barley offerings were light and prices therefore firm. Malting sales ranged from 40@ 46c, with fancy nominally 50c. Screenings sold from 20@39c. Receipts were 9 cars.

Flaxseed remained steady at $1.37 for No. 1 northwestern, and $1.24 for No. 1 March and May, the market without trade. Receipts were 4 cars here, 16 at Minneapolis and 3 at Duluth.

Timothy seed held at $2.95 for March and $3.00 for April. Country lots ranged from $1.50@3.00 according to quality. March-clover seed was $13.50 and bag lots $9.50@13.00.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Mr. 31.	Close Mr. 30.
May ...	1.13¾-14	1.14¾	1.13¾	1.13⅝	1.12⅝
July ...	88⅞-9	89¼	88¼	88⅝	88¾-⅞
Sept. ...	83¾	84	83¼	83¼	83⅜

CORN.

May ...	47⅜	47⅝	47-⅜	47¼-⅜	47¼
July ...	47⅜	47⅝	47¼-⅜	47⅛	47⅜-⅝
Sept. ...	41⅞	42	41⅞-¾	41⅞	41⅞-⅝

OATS.

May ...	29¼-⅜	29⅝	29¼-⅜	29⅝	29¼
July ...	29⅜	29⅝-¾	29¼	29⅜	29¼-⅜

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

The export demand for corn, which developed on Thursday's break in prices, did not last long. Eddy, a Boston exporter, wired McReynolds: "Foreign bids for corn today are low and scarce; think they have bought all they need for the present." Direct cables from English and continental markets to the J. Rosenbaum Grain company did not hold out any hope of continued demand except at a sharp decline in prices. Following are some of the messages: London—"No demand for corn." Rotterdam—"The market is affected by fine weather." (bids 2½c out of line). Copenhagen—"Limits unattainable and we see no chance of working at present; buyers awaiting lower prices." Belfast—"The market affected by advices from your side. Buyers holding off; business probable if you reduce limits about a cent." Liverpool—"We renew our order." (same being 1½c out of line). Berlin—"Bids 2c out of line." Antwerp—"Bids 2¾c out of line." Bristol—"Bids 1½c out of line."

No improvement in actual business in cash wheat was noted, but some brokers reported a greater number of "nibbles" from the outside for hard winter. Sales were only 10,000 bu mixed lots. On the sample tables only the offerings which had contract possibilities in them were wanted, off grades dragging badly. Minneapolis recorded an advance of ⅝c, to $1.10½ for No. 1 northern in store, and Duluth a like gain to $1.04⅝. Kansas City quoted No. 2 hard $1.00@1.05. There was a marked falling off in the export and domestic demand for corn, sales only 200,000 bu, including 75,000 bu No. 3 yellow for domestic consumption. Yesterday's liberal sales and the fact Omaha was offering less corn worked against further sales. There was a sale of 50,000 bu direct from Omaha to New York. Sales of oats were better with a few houses, and a total of 175,000 bu white clipped was sold.

Corn traders believe that Bartlett, Patten, and their following, which is a large one, are long from 10,000,000 bu to 15,000,000 bu May corn. Some of the heavy selling which started the recent break was supposed to be for this bull party, but Patten's denial of any share in the selling and the reaction of the last two days have had the effect of convincing traders the big holding is still intact, much of it hedged by sales of July. John W. Gates and his friends are believed to be heavily long and Bob Pringle and other local bulls have fair sized lines, some traders estimating the total open interest in May corn as high as 40,000,000 bu. Armour is supposed to be the leading short in May corn and a buyer of July on the recent break.

Good sales of flour to the orient were claimed by a Minneapolis message to Milmine-Bodman, which said:

"There were 22,000 tons of flour sold to the orient to go over the Great Northern, or about 200,000 bbls. Cash wheat sales are very satisfactory." The fact the sale was so large while the output of "red dog" flour is small led some to believe the authorities recently claiming Japan is taking that poor grade only were mistaken.

There has been no winter killing, and the full acreage seeded last fall will go to harvest. Color is good, stand satisfactory, soil moist everywhere, and no evidence of Hessian fly to any appreciable extent. The present prospect is fully five points above the April average for a series of years, and is remarkable for the uniformity of reports, both by states and by counties inside the state lines.

Holt at Minneapolis, whose views on the probable movement of the spring wheat in the northwest may be entitled to more weight for the reason that he has just joined Fos the first time this season in the predictions for a falling off in receipts, wired E. W. Dennis: "Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth in April will be surprisingly small."

The Modern Miller says: "Excepting a few scattered reports that the wheat plant is not maintaining its previous promise, conditions and prospects in the winter wheat belt continue highly favorable. From California come reports of rust owing to excessive rainfall, and the crop in the northern states of the Pacific coast has only fair prospects.

Bradstreet's reports exports as follows:

	Wheat and flour, bu.	Corn, bu.
This week	968,000	2,437,000
Last week	1,045,000	2,977,000
Last year	4,071,000	1,428,000
Since July 1	47,624,000	56,076,000
Same time previous year	120,372,000	44,568,000

Winter wheat prospects are considered unusually good by crop expert Snow. His report to Knight-Donnelley for the end of March makes the condition of the crop 90 against 80.1 last year and 83.1 at the end of last December.

The crop report of the International Great Northern railway for Texas says wheat average is good, condition, and prospects fine, winter oats largely damaged by freezing, but acreage of spring oats increased.

The failure of L. Everingham, notice of which was posted early in the session, had little if any effect on grain markets, the small total of 100,000 bu estimated to cover all the open trades.

The annual sale of telephones netted $700 in premiums, Bartlett-Frazier paying the highest at $190 and Logan-Bryan and Pringle-Fitch-Rankin the next at $75.

The Lewiston will load 150,000 bu oats at the Rialto elevator, and 250,000 bu corn will be loaded at South Chicago D Monday, both on old charters.

Estimated receipts for today are: Wheat, 19 cars; corn, 227 cars; oats, 110 cars; rye, 1 car; barley, 28 cars; hogs, 13,000 head.

E. S. Heeman has removed his offices to 159 La Salle street.

Sept.	28¾	29	28¾	28¾	28¾

MESS PORK.

May ...	12.70	12.70	12.67½	12.72½	12.65
July ...	12.67½	12.92½	12.85	12.90	12.80

LARD.

May ...	7.12½	7.15	7.12½	7.15	7.10
July ...	7.27½-30	7.30	7.27½	7.30	7.25

SHORT RIBS.

May ...	6.97½	6.97½	6.97½	6.97½	6.95
July ...	7.15	7.17½	7.15	7.17½	7.12½

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 Standard and better.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat	7	12	1	13
Colo. wheat	...	2	...	1
Spring wheat	...	...	1	1
Corn	16	163	74	253
Oats	4	12	90	142
Rye	3	...	1	4
Barley	...	...	9	9
Totals	30	12	273	121	436

Inspected out: Corn—No. 3, 5,250 bu; No. 4, 3,300 bu; no grade, 2,100 bu. Oats—Standard, 750 bu. Rye—No. 2, 6,250 bu. Loaded from inbound elevators: Wheat—No. 2 red, 8 cars. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 18 cars; No. 3 white, 4 cars; No. 2, 1 car; No. 3, 165 cars; No. 4, 4 cars. Oats—No. 2 white, 5 cars; No. 3 white, 37 cars and 135,000 bu; No. 4 white, 4 cars; No. 2, 4 cars; white clipped, 10 cars; standard, 57 cars and 37,000 bu. In inspection by lake and canal: Corn—No. 3, 9,800 bu.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Steady; hard spring [favorite brands], $6.20@6.30; hard, patents [in wood], $6.20@6.40; straight [export bags], $4.80@4.90; clear [export bags], $3.70@3.90; soft winter patents [export bags], $5.00@5.10; straight, $4.80@4.90; hard winter patents [export bags], $4.65; clear [export bags], $4.00@4.50; rye flour, bris, $4.05@4.35; sacks, $3.80@4.10.

WINTER WHEAT—Quiet and weak. Sales in store and to go, mixed lots, 10,000 bu on p. t. Free on board, switched and delivered: No. 4 hard, 97c; No. 3 hard, 99c@1.05; No. 2 hard, $1.1¾.

SPRING WHEAT—Dull. No sales reported.

CORN—6@10c higher. Sales in store and to go, No. 3, 125,000 bu for shipment on p. t. No. 3 yellow, 47¼c; No. 4, 46c. Sales on track and free on board: No grade sold 40@43½c. No. 4, 45¾@47c. No. 3, 46½@47c. Bid choice, 47½c. No grade, 42c. No. 4, 44½@45c. No. 3, 45⅝@46¼c. No. 3 yellow, 46½@47c. No. 3 white, 45½@45⅝c.

Oats—½@⅝c higher. Sales in store and to go: No. 3 white, 30c; white clipped, 175,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4, 28½c. No. 4 white, 27½@30c; No. 3, 29¼@30c; No. 2 white, 29½@31c; standard, 30½@32½c; No. 2 white, 32@32¼c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 29@29½c; No. 3 white, 30¾@31c; standard, 30¾@31½c; No. 2, 29½c.

Rye—Steady. Sales free on board: No. 2, 82@85½c; No. 3, 79c. On track: No. 3, 79½c; not graded, 80c.

Barley—Sales free on board or switched, by sample: Screenings, 28@38½c; barley, 39@45½c.

Provisions—Cash lots: Mess pork, $12.65@12.70; lard, $7.00@7.02½; ribs, $6.87½@7.00.

Cooperage—Quiet and steady. Ash pork brls, $7¼@90c; oak pork brls, $1.05@1.07½; lard tcs, $1.32½@1.25. Sales were: 250 oak pork brls, $1.00.

Whisky—Steady on a basis of $1.23 for finished goods.

Hay—Dull—Receipts, 774 tons; shipments, 75 tons. Sales on track: Not graded timothy, $8.00 @12.50; not graded prairie, Iowa, $7.00.

Straw—Rye straw quotable at $9.00@9.50, wheat straw at $6.00@6.50, and oat straw at $5.50@6.50. Sales on track: Oat, $5.50@6.00.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Wheat—Receipts, 21,375 bu; exports, 109,776 bu. Spot barely steady; No. 2 red, nominal, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.15⅝ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.17¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, $1.01¼ f. o. b. afloat. In a general way the wheat market was much firmer today. Just at the close prices suddenly leveled to realizing and left off unchanged to ⅛c net lower. May closed $1.11⅛; July, 93¼@93 11-16c; September closed 86⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 115,025 bu; exports, 63,169 bu; spot steady; No. 2, 56½c elevator and 52½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 53½@54c; No. 2 white, 55c. Option market was quiet, closing irregular at ⅛@ net advance. May closed 53¼c; July closed 53c.

Oats—Receipts, 75,000 bu; exports, 3,015 bu. Spot dull. Mixed oats, 26@32 lbs, 35½@36c. Cotton seed oil—Barely steady; prime yellow, 22½@23c.

Sugar—Raw, strong; fair refining, 4⅜c; centrifugal, 96° test, 5c; molasses sugar, 4¼c; refined steady.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot Rio, steady; mild, quiet. Futures opened steady at a partial advance of 5 points, lost part of the advance, but rallied again. The close was steady, unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales, 71,000 bags.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
May	6.60	6.65	6.60	6.65	6.60
July	6.80	6.85	6.80	6.80	6.75
September	6.95	7.00	6.95	7.00	6.95
October	7.05	7.05	7.05	7.10	7.05

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet, middling uplands, 8.15c; middling gulf, 8.40c; sales, 2,462 bales. Futures opened quiet and steady, closed quiet.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
March	7.61	7.71	7.61	7.70	7.65
April	...	...	...	7.70	7.65
May	7.73	7.81	7.72	7.75	7.73
June	7.76	...	...	7.80	7.76
July	7.61	7.69	7.61	7.61	7.61
August	7.64	7.71	7.67	7.65	7.64

Cotton in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—Cotton—Spot moderate business; prices unchanged. Sales, 8,000 bales, including 7,700 American. Receipts, 2,300 bales, all American. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Western Grain Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 31.—Close: Wheat—Weak, after advance; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, $1.03⅝; track, $1.12. Corn—Higher. No. 2 cash, 45½c; track, 46¼c. Oats—Higher. No. 2 cash, 30c; track, 31c. Lead—Quiet, $4.50. Spelter—Steady, $5.75@5.80.

KANSAS CITY, March 31.—Close: Wheat—May, 95¾c; July, 78¾c; cash No. 2 hard, 99c@$1.05. Corn—May, 44@44¼c; cash No. 2 mixed, 45@45¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 31@32c; No. 2 mixed, 29¼@30c. Receipts—Wheat, 49 cars.

DULUTH, Minn., March 31.—Close: Wheat to arrive: No. 1 northern, $1.04⅝; on track, No. 1 northern, $1.04⅜. Oats—To arrive and on track, 28½c. Receipts—Wheat, 16,006 bu; shipments, 5,166 bu.

Peoria, Ill., March 31.—Cash corn—Dull and lower; No. 3 yellow, 45¼c; No. 3, 45¾c; No. 4, 44½c; no grade, 41¼c. Oats—Unchanged. No. 3 white, 30@30¼c; No. 4 white, 29@29½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 31.—Wheat—May closed at $1.08⅝; July, $1.03¼@1.03¾, and September at 84¾c. Cash wheat was in fair demand, with prices unchanged. Flour—First patents, $5.90@6.00; first clears, $4.25@4.35. Flax—Firm; cash closed at $1.35⅜. Bran—In bulk, $14.25.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 31.—Wheat—1c higher; No. 1 northern, $1.15@1.13½; July, 88¼@ 88¾c bid. Oats—½c higher; standard, 31½@32c. Corn—½c higher; No. 3, 46@47c; May, 47¾c.

TOLEDO, O., March 31.—Clover seed—Cash and March, $8.20; April, $8.06; October, $5.82½. Prime alsike, $7.65. Prime timothy, $1.55.

Foreign Produce Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—Wheat—Spot No. 1 California, steady, 6s 10d; futures quiet; May, 6s 7¼d; July, 6s 7¾d; September, 6s 7¼d; corn, spot, steady; American mixed, new, 4s 4½d; old, 4s 11d; futures quiet; May, 4s 3⅝d; July, 4s 3¾d.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Hogs Gain 5 Cents—Cattle Take Another Jump—Sheep and Lambs Are Steady.

The hog market at the stockyards made a recovery yesterday. There was a general rise of 5c in values and the top was $5.40, an advance of 5c over Thursday. The run was the lightest of the week.

Cattle values took another upward turn and prices advanced 10c to 15c. Some sales were made at 25c higher than on the preceding day. Export cattle were in sharp demand. Since March 1 the price of steers has advanced at least $1.00 a hundredweight. Feeders were eagerly sought.

The market for sheep and lambs was quiet, although values held steady. The usual Friday conditions prevailed.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Friday, March 24	2,105	147	17,186	8,850
Saturday, March 25	266	11	9,115	1,657
Monday, March 27	21,281	443	40,307	16,483
Tuesday, March 28	4,787	5,575	23,923	18,264
Wednesday, March 29	15,431	1,523	33,277	20,157
Thursday, March 30	6,198	1,677	29,250	13,307
Friday, March 31	2,500	500	17,000	7,000
Total last week	56,422	6,281	153,205	74,293
Cor. week last year	56,067	5,691	103,568	82,226
Year ago this week	58,258	3,001	186,788	79,838
Shipments—				
Friday, March 24	4,622	78	8,265	4,633
Saturday, March 25	567	6	1,968	121
Monday, March 27	6,813	8	12,172	8,293
Tuesday, March 28	2,881	2	8,724	8,411
Wednesday, March 29	4,978	97	11,060	5,180
Thursday, March 30	5,453	25	10,251	5,262
Friday, March 31	2,000	80	8,500	3,000
Total last week	29,004	158	60,257	34,844
Cor. week last year	23,577	121	42,216	22,151
Year ago this week	24,514	234	59,583	16,883

Receipts of cattle, with comparisons:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
1905	843,714	2,335,302	992,602	79,996
1904	820,482	2,354,337	1,164,710	80,024
Increase	23,232			
Decrease		19,035	172,108	1,158

Cattle.

Cattle values continued to rise. Some steers of good quality sold at 25c higher than the day before. The demand for butcher stock was fully as strong as for steers. Local buyers were active competitors with the packers. Best feeders sold at $5.10.

Quotations:

Good to fancy steers	$6.00@6.35
Fair to choice medium steers	5.35@5.75
Plain to medium steers	4.75@5.30
Inferior to common steers	3.75@4.65
Good to fancy cows and heifers	4.20@5.00
Fair to good cows and heifers	3.25@4.00
Fair to choice feeders	3.60@5.00
Fair to choice stockers	2.25@4.40
Good cutting and fair beef cows	2.40@3.25
Common to good canning cows	1.50@2.35
Bulls, poor to choice	2.25@5.00
Calves, common to fair	3.50@5.50
Calves, good to fancy	5.75@7.00

Hogs.

Hogs took another upward turn, and an advance of 5c was scored. The run was the lightest of the week. Quotations:

Good to choice heavy shipping	$5.20@5.37½
Fair to choice, butcher weight	5.25@5.40
Fair to good heavy mixed	5.20@5.30
Fair to good heavy packers	5.15@5.25
Light mixed	5.15@5.32½
Good to choice 200@225 lb weights	5.30@5.40
Fair to choice, prime pigs, @100 lb weights	4.35@5.10

TOTAL PURCHASES.

Packers bought hogs as follows:

Anglo-American	1,500	Small packers, and butchers	1,000
Armour & Co.	6,000		
Continental Co.	600		
Hammond	600	Total	8,500
N. Morris & Co.	800	Shippers bought	8,000
Swift & Co.	2,500	Left unsold	500
S. & S.	1,000		

Sheep and Lambs.

There was little movement in sheep and lambs. The run was light. Values held steady. Top lambs sold at $7.55. Quotations:

Choice to fancy wethers	$5.70@6.30
Fair to choice wethers	5.20@5.65
Culls, bucks, and tail end stock	3.00@4.00
Yearlings, fair to choice	6.50@7.10
Choice to prime native lambs	7.00@7.55
Medium to good native lambs	5.75@6.50
Fed western lambs	6.00@7.55
Feeding lambs	6.00@6.50
Clipped lambs	6.00@6.50
Clipped yearlings	5.25@6.00
Clipped wethers	4.00@5.25
Clipped ewes	4.75@5.40

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,409; steers firm; bulls and cows slow; fat cows firm; one car bulls unsold; cables quote live cattle and sheep steady. Calves—Receipts, 268; market steady for good veals, weak for common and medium grades; all sold. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,074; sheep strong; lambs, full steady. Hogs—Receipts, 724; feeling about steady.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 700, including 20 southerns; market steady to strong. Hogs—Receipts, 7,200; market steady to strong; top, $5.32½; bulk of sales, $5.12½@5.30. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market steady.

OMAHA, Neb., March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700; market active, steady. Hogs—Receipts, 6,300; market 5c higher; bulk of sales, $5.10@5.15. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market steady.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200, including 700 Texans; market steady. Hogs —Receipts, 5,000; market steady to strong. Sheep —Receipts, 500; market steady.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 438; strong to 10c higher. Hogs—Receipts, 2,902; mostly 5c higher. Sheep—Receipts, 1,008; steady.

Naval Stores.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Rosin—Steady. Turpentine—Steady.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 31.—Turpentine and rosin—Nothing doing.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 31.—Spirits turpentine—Nothing doing. Rosin—Firm; $2.60 bid. Tar—Firm; $1.70. Crude turpentine—Firm; $2.30 @3.70.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 31.—Turpentine—Firm, 57c. Rosin—Firm; A B C, $2.85; D, $2.90; E, $2.93½; F, $3.00; G, $3.07½; H, $3.20; I, $3.50; K, $4.05; M, $4.50; N, $4.75; W G, $5.00; W W, $5.15.

MONEY AFFECTS MARKET.

MOVEMENT IN NEW YORK STOCKS SLUGGISH AND NARROW.

Trading Restrained by Fear of Sudden Flurry in Rates at Close of Month Because of Japanese Loan Demands —Confidence in the Relaxation of Currency After First of Month Is General — Bonds Irregular —Sales, $5,050,000.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

New York, March 31.—[Special.]—The market today was sluggish, moving scarcely away from last night's closing. Only a handful of standard stocks enjoyed this slight activity. Today was expected to mark the end of the period of most urgent requirements for the Japanese bond subscription and the April 1 payments. The trading element seems to be confident that a relaxation of money will follow immediately. The tone of the early market was more constrained, while the dread was still entertained that there might be a flurry in the money market with the closing day of the month.

A number of industrials and specialties were strong from individual causes. The best prices of the day were touched shortly before the close, but were not fully held, the closing tone being irregular.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value $5,050,000. United States 2s registered and old 4s advanced ½ and new 4s ¼ per cent on calls.

Close: Money on call strong and higher, 3½@ 4½ per cent; closing bid, 4¼ per cent; offered at 4½ per cent. Time loans firm; sixty days, ninety days, and six months, 3½@3¾ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5¾@6½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 485.95@4.86 for demand and at 484.05@ 484.10 for sixty day bills; posted rates, 484½@485 and 486½@487; commercial bills, 483¾@483¾. Bar silver, 52⅝. Mexican dollars, 42⅝. Government bonds strong; railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing—Mar. 31.	Mar. 30.
Allis-Chalmers	300	17¼	17½	17	17	17
Do pfd	100	62	62	62	62	62
Amal. Copper	70,000	79¾	80¾	79¼	80⅝	79
Am. Car Fdy	2,200	38¾	39¼	38¾	39¼	39¼
Do pfd	200	100	100	99¾	99¾	99½
Am. Cot. Oil	100	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Am. Grass	2,400	9	9¼	8¾	9	8¾
Am. Hide pfd	200	51¼	51½	51½	51½	51½
Am. Ice	200	5½	5½	5¼	5¼	5½
Do pfd	200	89	89	89	89	88¾
Am. Linseed	1,600	19	20¼	19	20¼	18¾
Do pfd	400	44½	45¾	44½	45¾	...
Am. Locomotive	2,700	50¾	50¾	50	50¾	49½
*Do pfd	100	118	118	118	118	116¾
Am. Malt. pfd	600	26¾	26¾	25¾	26¼	...
Am. Smelting	23,200	101¾	103	101¾	102¾	101¾
Do pfd	1,800	122¾	123¾	122¾	122	121¾
Am. Steel Fdy	300	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Do pfd	1,500	65	65	64¾	65	65
Am. Sugar	4,000	141	142¾	141	142¾	141¾
Am. Tob. pfd	1,200	97¼	97¼	96¾	97	96¾
Am. Woolen	1,200	30	30	29¾	29¾	30¾
*Do pfd	200	107¼	107¾	107¼	107¾	108¼
Anaconda	1,000	117¼	117¾	117¼	117¾	118
Atchison	8,600	87¾	88¾	87¾	88	87¾
Do rights	5,800	...	...	...	...	...
A. C. Line	5,000	142	142¾	142	145	141½
A. & S. Ohio	11,100	108¼	108¾	107¾	108¾	107¾
B. R. T.	33,800	67¾	68¼	67¾	67¾	66¾
Brunswick	100	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	...
Buf. & S. pfd	300	92	92	90	90	...
Can. Pacific	3,600	145¼	145¾	145	145¾	148
C. & Ohio	5,900	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¼
C. & Alton	100	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	...
C. & N. W.	400	242	244½	242	243½	244½
Chi. Gt. Western	700	23¼	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¼
Do pfd	200	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	34¾
C. of Chi.	100	200	200	200	200	...
C. M. & St. P.	7,100	175¼	175¾	175	175¼	175
Chi. Terminal	300	17¾	18¼	17¾	18¼	18
Do pfd	400	34¾	35	34½	35	...
Chi. Un. Trac.	2,000	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10
Do pfd	100	45	45	45	45	...
C., C. C. & St. L.	500	107¼	108¼	107¼	108¼	108
C. F. I. & P.	18,600	57¾	58	57¾	58	57¼
C. H. C. & I.	700	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Colo. Southern	9,000	25½	27	25½	26¾	26¾
Do 1st pfd	1,700	60	61¾	60	61¾	60½
Do 2d pfd	3,000	35¾	37	35¾	37	35¾
Con. Gas	1,800	206½	206½	207¼	207¼	206
Corn Product	800	14	14	13¾	14	14¼
Do pfd	100	66¼	66¾	66	66¾	66
D. & H.	800	191	191¾	190¾	190¾	190¼
D., L. & W.	300	394¾	394¾	394¾	394¾	394¾
D. & R. G.	100	34¼	34¼	34¼	34¼	35¼
Do pfd	1,100	89	89¼	89	89¼	...
D. M. & F. D.	100	25	25	25	25	...
Det. Un.	1,000	83¼	84¼	83¼	83¾	83¾
Dis. Sec.	12,800	45	47	45	46¾	45
D., S. S. & A.	100	16	16	16	16	16
Elec. Storage	4,300	85	88½	85	88	85
Erie	6,700	45¾	45¾	45¼	45¾	45¼
Do 1st pfd	300	80¼	80¾	80¼	80¾	80¼
Do 2d pfd	100	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼
Fed. Min. pfd	200	96¼	96¾	96¼	96¾	94
Ft. W. & D.	100	61	61	61	61	60
Gen. Chem	100	102	102

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DEATHS.

SELLEK—Charles Edwin, March 29, at 1306 34th-st., son of Albert and Clara. Funeral Saturday at 1 p. m.; interment at Oakwoods.

SLAVEN—Anna, nee Garrigan, March 31, 1905, wife of late Hon. P. Slaven, mother of Minnie, Mrs. Frank, and William. Funeral from her late residence, 6332 Stewart-av., Monday, April 3, St. Bernard's church, at 9 o'clock, carriages to Mount Olivet.

SULLIVAN—James P., March 30, son of John J. and Margaret, 3241 Union-av. Funeral Saturday at 9:30 a. m. to Church of Nativity, carriages to Mount Olivet.

THOMA—Frank, beloved husband of Carolina and father of Fred, March 29, aged 64 years. Funeral Sunday, April 2, at 12:30, to Desplaines, Ill., and C. & N. W. Ry. depot. Wells-st., at 1:30, thence by carriages to Graceland.

WARREN—Friederika, beloved wife of Andrew Warren, nee Hafner, mother of Albert and Mabel Warren, and Mrs. Julia Vandenplof, Mrs. Laura Dupont, and Mrs. Edith Clark, at her residence, 1152 Harvard-st. Funeral Sunday, April 1, at 10 a. m., by carriages to Arlington cemetery.

WIESE—Maria, child of Theodore and Maria, March 30, at 11 p. m. Funeral Sunday at 1 p. m., 554 Armitage-av., to Waldheim.

WUSSOW—August Sr., husband of Minnie. Funeral, 539 W. 80th-st., Saturday, 2 p. m., cars to Mount Greenwood.

ZINDEL—James, March 31, at 682 W. 20th-st., son of Charles and Julia.

FUNERAL TRAINS.

MOUNT HOPE CEMETERY FUNERAL TRAIN by Grand Trunk R. R. leaves Polk-st. depot (Polk and Dearborn-sts.) daily at 12 m.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 30.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

Illinois—Increasing cloudiness Saturday, followed by rain, colder in the south portion. Sunday probably fair, fresh to brisk northeast winds.

Ohio—Fair, colder Saturday. Sunday cloudy, probably rain, variable winds, becoming northeast and fresh.

Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy Saturday, Sunday probably rain, fresh to brisk northeast to east winds.

Upper Michigan—Fair Saturday, Sunday partly cloudy, probably rain or snow, fresh to brisk northeast winds.

Indiana—Partly cloudy Saturday, rain at night or Sunday, fresh winds, becoming northeast.

Wisconsin—Partly cloudy Saturday, Sunday cloudy, probably rain in east and south portion, fresh northeast to east winds.

Minnesota—Partly cloudy Saturday, Sunday cloudy, variable winds.

North Dakota—Fair, warmer Saturday, Sunday fair.

South Dakota—Fair Saturday, warmer in extreme west portion, Sunday fair.

Iowa—Rain Saturday, colder in southeast portion, Sunday fair in west, clearing in east portion.

Nebraska—Partly cloudy Saturday, showers in east portion, Sunday fair.

Missouri—Rain and colder Saturday, Sunday fair in west, clearing in east portion.

Place of observation.	Time taken: March 31, 7 p. m.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Direction of wind. 24 hours.	Precipitation. 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene		68	74	S.E.			Cl'dy
Albany		56	62	W.			Cl'dy
Alpena		30	36	N.W.		.20	Fair
Atlanta		62	74	N.E.			Clear
Amarillo		58	74	N.E.		.56	Clear
Battleford		34	38	S.E.		.02	Cl'dy
Bismarck		46	46	S.			Clear
Buffalo		36	40	W.			Clear
Boston		38	60	W.			Clear
Cairo		72	76	S.			Clear
Calgary		32	42	S.W.		.12	Cl'dy
Charles City		58	70	S.E.			Cl'dy
Charlotte		66	76	S.E.			Fair
Cheyenne		44	62	N.W.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Chicago		36	47	N.E.			Cl'dy
Cincinnati		70	74	W.			Cl'dy
Cleveland		60	66	N.W.			Clear
Concordia		64	74	W.		Tr.	Fair
Davenport		68	72	S.			Cl'dy
Denver		46	56	N.W.		.01	Rain
Des Moines		60	70	W.		.04	Cl'dy
Detroit		44	70	N.E.			Fair
Devil's Lake		30	38	N.E.			Cl'dy
Dodge		56	70	S.E.		.02	Cl'dy
Dubuque		58	70	W.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Duluth		28	32	N.E.			Cl'dy
El Paso		44	64	W.		.50	Clear
Edmonton		26	42	N.			Cl'dy
Escanaba		34	38	N.E.		.02	Cl'dy
Galveston		68	72	S.E.			Clear
Grand Rapids		56	66	N.E.			Clear
Green Bay		36	36	N.E.			Fair
Havre		32	32	W.		.04	Clear
Helena		44	62	W.			Cl'dy
Huron		64	74	W.			Cl'dy
Indianapolis		68	72	S.			Clear
Jacksonville		68	76	N.E.			Clear
Kansas City		68	76	N.E.			Clear
Lander		44	49	S.E.		Tr.	Clear
Little Rock		72	78	S.			Clear
Los Angeles		64	68	S.E.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Madison		58	60	N.E.		Tr.	Cl'dy
Marquette		28	32	N.W.		Tr.	Clear
Memphis		70	76	S.W.			Fair
Medicine Hat		52	54	S.W.			Cl'dy
Milwaukee		34	42	N.			Cl'dy
Minnedosa		32	36	N.W.			Cl'dy
Montgomery		76	80	N.E.			Clear
Montreal		40	44	N.W.			Fair
Moorhead		46	46	N.W.			Cl'dy
Nashville		72	76	N.E.			Clear
New Orleans		70	78	E.			Clear
New York City		60	66	S.			Clear
Norfolk		58	68	S.E.			Clear
North Platte		50	64	W.		.10	Rain
Oklahoma		70	72	S.E.		.04	Cl'dy
Omaha		62	70	W.		.04	Cl'dy
Oswego		38	50	W.		Tr.	Rain
Palestine		72	76	S.E.			Clear
Parry Sound		30	34	W.			Clear
Philadelphia		62	72	S.W.			Clear
Pittsburg		66	72	W.			Clear
Pueblo		46	58	W.		.30	Rain
Qu'Appelle		32	40	E.		.04	Snow
Rapid City		40	42	N.E.			Cl'dy
San Francisco		50	56	W.			Clear
St. Louis		70	76	S.E.			Clear
St. Paul		32	36	E.			Clear
Salt Lake City		50	68	W.			Clear
San Antonio		70	78	S.E.			Cl'dy
San Diego		60	62	N.W.		.02	Clear
Ste. Marie		30	38	N.W.			Clear
Springfield, Ill.		70	74	S.			Clear
Springfield, Mo.		70	78	S.E.			Clear
Vicksburg		76	86	E.			Cl'dy
Washington		62	70	S.			Clear
White River		34	40	S.			Clear
Winnipeg		38	40	N.E.			Cl'dy

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 Madison street, Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 35; 9 a. m., 36; 10 a. m., 39; 11 a. m., 42; 12 m., 45; 1 p. m., 46; 2 p. m., 47; 3 p. m., 48; 4 p. m., 48; 5 p. m., 48; 6 p. m., 47; 7 p. m., 47; 8 p. m., 45; 9 p. m., 44; 10 p. m., 42; 11 p. m., 41; 12 p. m., 40. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.66; 6 p. m., 29.72.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Bruns, Caroline, 1; 2207 38th-st., March 30.
Bremer, Kate, 36; 51 Emma-st., March 30.
Bollinger, Ray, 8 months; 1347 Lexington-ave., March 30.
Bielsen, Nicholas, 27; 87 Crystal-st., Mar. 30.
Beerins, Anna, 77; 505 W. 18th-pl., Mar. 30.
Berry, John, 68; 271 Orleans-st., Mar. 29.
Bigler, Edward, H., 25; 4432 Prairie-ave., Mar. 29.
Birnbaum, Morris, 29; 231 Washington-blvd., March 19.
Bolard, Michael, 30; 331 W. 59th-pl., Mar. 29.
Besnier, Maggie, 29; 797 W. Chicago-ave., Mar. 30.
Braithwaite, Emma, 49; 29 Blue Island-ave., Mar. 29.
Cole, Martin E., 64; 703 W. Monroe-st., Mar. 30.
Dorgan, John W., 62; 673 Winthrop-ave., Mar. 29.
Desta, Charles, 37; 301 S. Clark-st., Mar. 31.
Dierzus, Guiseppa, 10 days; 245 Taylor-st., Mar. 30.
Dedlow, Oscar, 1; 89 Townsend-st., Mar. 30.
Ferguson, Margaret, 20; 715 Center-ave., Mar. 29.
Fatters, Bolestawa, 25; 205 Cleaver-st., Mar. 29.
Fronla, Emma M., 38; 461 Washburne-av., Mar. 30.
Gilfonda, Vito, 30; 1911 S. Clark-st., Mar. 25.
Gorman, M. J., 40; 190 S. Sangamon-st., Mar. 30.
Graff, Michael, 9 months; 4026 Butler-st., Mar. 30.
Greene, William N., 51; 42 N. Hoyne-ave., Mar. 29.
Hishfield, Alice, 32; 257 Lincoln-av., March 29.
Hardee, Alberta, 2 months; 700 W. 21st-st., Mar. 31.
Helmer, baby, 1 day; Cook County Hospital, Mar. 30.
Hirley, William H., 69; 4628 Greenwood-av., Mar. 30.
Hand, John, 70; 1319 Park-av., March 29.
Havenes, Louisa A., 73; 1 N. Harding-av., Mar. 30.
Herman, Fritz G., 50; Briggs House, Mar. 27.
Irmiter, Jacob, 71; 444 Otto-st., Mar. 29.
Jagsch, Joseph, about 27; 1001 W. North-ave., Mar. 29.
Kane, John, 47; 1039 W. 18th-pl., Mar. 29.
Kirkpatrick, S. J., 9; 307 E. 46th-st., Mar. 26.
Kores, James, 24; 4062 Blue Island-ave., Mar. 28.
Lobkicher, E. H., 16; 7341 Stewart-av., Mar. 27.
Lkobicka, Helen, 11 months; 132 Cleaver-st., Mar. 30.
Mahoney, Bridget, 60; 2848 Groveland-ave., Mar. 28.
Mason, Francis E., 9 months; 1028 Archer-ave., Mar. 29.
Muller, Mary, 76; 234 E. 65th-st., March 29.
Muerschmeyer, F., 61; 966 Bryn Mawr-av., Mar. 29.
Munsen, Mrs. K., 36; 701 N. Hamlin-ave., Mar. 29.
Marletis, Charles E., 50; 1003 W. Addison-st., Mar. 30.
McCagheny, Thos., 40; 235 Illinois-st., Mar. 19.
Neuhaus, Ida, 37; 905 Boscoe-st., Mar. 31.
Nissen, Annie, 45; 2074 Chicago-ave., Mar. 26.
Neuen, Susan, 73; 2644 5th-ave., Mar. 30.
O'Pink, Theodore, 3 months; 6137 Sangamon-st., Mar. 30.
Pomrening, Ida, 30; 54 E. Winnemac-ave., Mar. 23.
Pinckney, Minerva, 35; 245 S. Sangamon-st., Mar. 15.
Purcell, William, 1; Chicago Foundling Home, Mar. 30.
Rauch, William, 1; 160 Hadden-ave., Mar. 30.
Rosenthal, Sarah, 54; 730 W. 18th-st., Mar. 30.
Reynolds, Elizabeth, 11 months; Chicago Foundling Home, Mar. 30.
Ritter, Bertha, 2 days; 5231 Calumet-ave., Mar. 30.
Rudenska, Minnie, 7; 3624 Paulina-st., Mar. 31.
Reisel, Edie, 3 days; 4614 Prairie-ave., March 30.
Sapranaska, Ann, 7 months; 112 Randolph-st., Mar. 30.
Seilel, Charles E., 9; 1206 34th-st., Mar. 29.
Sweet, George, 62; 44 Lee-pl., March 28.
Silk, Charles N., 8 months; 641 Center-av., Mar. 29.
Shay, Stribling, 76; 5063 Superior-st., Mar. 29.
Schewerin, William, 2 days; 4320 Wentworth-ave., Mar. 30.
Szonyzisl, Marie, 26 days; 4619 Laflin-st., Mar. 31.
Sullivan, James P., 9; 2241 Union-ave., Mar. 30.
Sterniolo, Guiseppe, 2; 49 E. Chicago-ave., Mar. 30.
Tabb, William F., 51; 3722 Ellis-ave., Mar. 30.
Tiersow, Bernhard, 6 months; 264 W. 14th-pl., Mar. 31.
Warren, Charlie, 2; 1 Whiting-st., Mar. 30.
Wolford, Wm. H., 45; 3606 Wabash-av., Mar. 29.
Werster, John, 1 month; 901 Medeis-ave., Mar. 29.
Zenath, Gustave, 40; 183 E. Washington-blvd., Mar. 30.
Zindel, James, 1; 682 W. 20th-st., Mar. 31.
Zir, Hanna, 2; 560 S. Jefferson-ave., Mar. 30.

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For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.

For Jamaica, West Indies, 12 p. m.

For Austria, Denmark, Prussia, Germany, Great Britain, Ireland, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia and Sweden, via S. S. Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Sunday, April 2, 12 p. m.

For Hawaiian Islands, Fiji islands, New Zealand, New Caledonia, and Australia, via San Francisco, by S. S. Sonoma, Sunday, April 2, 9 p. m.

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For Bermuda, 5 p. m.

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NEW INCORPORATIONS.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE AT SPRINGfield yesterday granted licenses to the following corporations:

Farmers and Merchants' Telephone company of Newark, Newark; capital, $4,000; operate telephone system; incorporators, Peter Thompson, Albert Fowler, Ira Sleezer.

L. D. Leach & Co., Golden Gate; capital, $25,000; feed, fuel, lumber; incorporators, L. D. Leach, J. D. Leach, F. P. Leach.

Model Laundry company of Waukegan, Waukegan; capital, $5,000; laundry cleaning; incorporators, William T. McNulty, Andrew J. Burton, Adolph H. Wesemann.

Knox Engineering company, Chicago; capital, $50,000; build, utilize plants, brokers; incorporators, George W. Knox, Rolland M. Heskett, W. Ralph Lents.

Chicago artificial ice company, Chicago; capital, $12,000; manufacture ice; incorporators, Louis Olsen, Ingvar Ostby, James W. Miller.

Colonial candy company, Chicago; capital, $2,500; manufacture candy, confectioners' sundries; incorporators, I. T. Dickson, Winthrop Gurling, K. Estep.

Twentieth Century Social and Benevolent club, Chicago; not for profit; social and benevolent; incorporators, Charles A. Schumacher, Winfield S. Burlin, William R. Baker.

Frank Mercantile company, Ottawa; dissolved.

Walker Eatmon company, Chicago; capital stock increased, $100,000 to $120,000.

Theodore Lattan Jr. company, Chicago; capital stock decreased, $7,000 to $2,000.

Foreign:

Chesapeake and Ohio Coal and Coke Co., West Virginia; capital, $450,000; capital in Illinois, $2,500.

Cave In Rock Mining company, Louisville, Ky.; capital, $40,000; in Illinois, $10,000.

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SITUATION WANTED—AN A1 OFFICE MAN; 30 years of age, experienced in bookkeeping, cashier's work, correspondence, claims, and credits; prefers to leave the city; the smaller the town the more opportunity for salary. Address C 97; the best of references furnished. H 391, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — AS RECEIVING clerk, young man, close on application, good habits and character; reference at present employed; reason for change, no chances for advancement. Address D 341, Tribune office.

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Beginning today luncheon will be served at the Onwentsia club in Lake Forest on Saturdays until further notice. Buses will meet the trains arriving at 12:30 and 1:45 p. m., leaving at 4:45 and 5:37 o'clock.

Mrs. Denis Rayner, 2310 Calumet avenue, will open her home next Wednesday afternoon for a charity musical, the proceeds to go to three aged people who are in destitute circumstances. The program, which will begin at 3 o'clock, will be given by Mr. William C. E. Seeboeck and several other artists. Mrs. Burton Hanson will read.

Mrs. Charles Fitrench, 5850 Rosalie court, held a reception Thursday evening, the guests being asked to meet Mr. W. F. Bentley of Galesburg. About 100 guests were present.

Mrs. Daniel Callahan, 4000 Lake avenue, will give a dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Maude Cook and Mr. Frederick Arnold Farrar, who are to be married on April 26. Mrs. William Gardelle Farrar will entertain twenty guests at luncheon on Thursday in honor of Miss Cook.

Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman, 158 Rush street, has gone south for a short stay.

Mrs. Parry L. Wright, 125 East Thirtieth street, has returned home from a four weeks' visit to her parents, Col. and Mrs. R. F. Campbell, at El Paso, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Baker and their daughter, Miss Louise Nevins, yesterday moved into the old Baker residence at 2205 Michigan avenue.

Miss Mercedes Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Stewart, 181 Lincoln Park boulevard, is home from Miss Ely's school in New York. She arrived yesterday and will remain ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Robbins of the Virginia leave today for a short eastern trip. On their return they will go immediately to their summer home at Lake Forest.

Mrs. Charles Garfield King, 2913 Michigan avenue, left for New York yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tiedgens of Evanston, who have been south for some time, are expected home today.

Mrs. James H. Eckels, 18 Ritchie place, will give a dinner and theater party this evening for her young daughter, Miss Phoebe Eckels, who is home from school for the spring vacation. Another young people's affair will be a tea this afternoon given by Mrs. Horace E. Fisk, 474 North State street, for a number of north side girls and boys.

Mrs. John J. Herrick, 2221 Prairie avenue, gave a dinner and theater party last evening for her daughter, Margaret. On Saturday, April 8, Mrs. Herrick will give a tea for young people, the hours to be from 3 to 6 o'clock.

COURT MAY INQUIRE INTO MRS. JACKMAN'S "CHURCH."

Detectives and Health Board Attorney Denied Admittance to House When They Seek to Make Investigation.

Mrs. Mabel Jackman's "Church of Scientific Christianity," 2502 Indiana avenue, has become the subject of investigation by the police.

The woman resisted the efforts of Detective Wooldridge, Attorney Warwick A. Shaw, for the state board of health, and policemen from the Cottage Grove avenue station yesterday to see Mrs. Lydia Simmons, whose daughter is said to be under treatment at the "church." Not having the proper authority to demand the presence of the woman, the officials plan to ask Judge Carter for an order "inquiendo," under which Mrs. Simmons may be compelled to testify in regard to certain allegations involving a charge that Mrs. Jackman is practicing medicine without a license.

For more than four years Mrs. Jackman has been the subject of considerable notoriety, having posed as a spiritualist medium and later coming out as an exponent of divine healing. She was indicted last summer for obtaining money under false pretenses, but later was discharged.

The investigation of Mrs. Jackman was brought about through Miss Emily Ritchie, who rented a room at the place without knowing its "scientific-divine" nature. She heard the screams of the young woman sufferer and notified the police.

PLAN NEW WASHINGTON SCHOOL

Structure Condemned as a Firetrap Is Recommended by Committee to Be Torn Down.

The old Washington school, which has been condemned as a firetrap, will be razed as soon as the wreckers can get to work and a new structure erected one block south of the present site. This decision was reached by the buildings and grounds committee yesterday.

The site selected for the new school is Ohio, Carpenter, and Morgan streets, and Grand avenue. The building is to contain twenty-six rooms and will cost $175,000.

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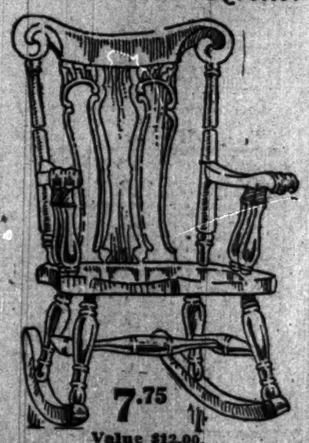

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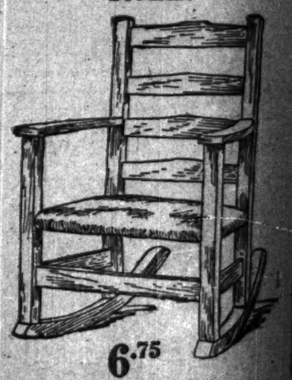

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